



TOWN OF WELLS  
POLICE DEPARTMENT  
*"Protecting a great community"*

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**Jo-Ann Putnam**  
Chief of Police



**Press Release: November 6, 2018**

On November 4, 2018, at approximately 1925 hours, Chad Murphy, 43, of 94 Newhall Road, Wells, Maine, was arrested for Domestic Violence Assault following an incident on Newhall Road. Chad was able to post the required bail amount and was later released from Wells Police custody. Chad is scheduled to appear at York District Court on November 20, 2018, at 0815 hours.

On November 5, 2018, at approximately 1500 hours, Diane McCarthy, 68, of 8 Maple Street, Bourne, Massachusetts, was summonsed for Leaving the Scene of a Motor Vehicle Accident following an investigation that began on September 20, 2018, in the parking lot of a local business. Diane is scheduled to appear at York District Court on December 19, 2018, at 0815 hours.

***Town of Wells***  
***Code Enforcement Office***  
**Application Dates: 11/1/2018 through 11/8/2018**

<b>Map &amp; Lot</b>	<b>Appl Date</b>	<b>Property Location</b>	<b>Construction Type</b>	<b>Permit Status</b>
128-136	11/08/2018	261 Atlantic Ave		Open
024-010	11/01/2018	6 Big Rock Way	First Time System	Pending
024-010	11/01/2018	8 Big Rock Way	First Time System	Pending
033-001-61	11/01/2018	21 Birdie Ln	Generator	Pickup
063-010	11/02/2018	630 Branch Rd	Additions - Single Family	Pending
138-019-B	11/06/2018	124 Burnt Mill Rd	Shed at or under 400 s.f.	Pending
073-004-B	11/06/2018	207 Bypass Rd	New Plumbing	Open
083-020-B	11/06/2018	144 Chick Crossing Rd, B	Additions - Single Family	Pending
079-003	11/05/2018	21 Dorfield Ln	Additions - Single Family	Pending
036-015-19	11/06/2018	41 Elm Ln	Generator	Hold
072-004-B-70	11/01/2018	4 Grist Stone Court		Open
072-004-B-69	11/01/2018	8 Grist Stone Court	Plumbing Miscellaneous	Open
036-020	11/05/2018	24 Lake Dr		Open
034-005-F	11/08/2018	404 Littlefield Rd	Additions - Single Family	Pending
137-017	11/01/2018	7 Maple St	Relocated Plumbing	Open
024-042-12	11/01/2018	94 Newhall Rd	Replacement System	Open
040-003-3	11/01/2018	North Berwick Rd	First Time System	Hold
106-034	11/08/2018	155 Ocean Ave	Additions - Single Family	Pending
106-069	11/05/2018	300 Ocean Ave	Generator	Pending
106-069	11/05/2018	300 Ocean Ave	Flood Permit- Addition/Alteration	Pending
103-023-MAIN	11/07/2018	79 Ocean Ave	Flood Permit- Addition/Alteration	Pickup
019-001-75	11/08/2018	86 Rabbit Run	Additions - Single Family	Pending
116-027	11/01/2018	415 Webhannet Dr	Flood Permit- Addition/Alteration	Pickup
139-027-B-14	11/02/2018	35 Webhannet Harbour Rd	Alterations - Single Family	Pending

**Total Listed: 22**

**WELLS FIRE DEPARTMENT W/E 11 05 18**

TRAINING	Attendees	Hours
HazMat Training Drill	10	13
SCBA Familiarization	3	3.75
Bailout Training	3	2.25
Basement Fires	3	6
Building Pre-Planning	3	3.75
Building Familiarization	5	2.5
Responsible use of Social Media	4	2.58
OSHA Occupational Safety & Health	1	0.5
Turning Hazards	1	0.17
Managing Multigenerational Workforce	1	0.5
Hand & Power Tool Safety	1	0.5

1 Fire	1
113 Cooking fire - confined to container	1
3	
311 Medical Assist - assist EMS crew	2
3221 same as 311 but career FF needed for transport	1
324 MVA w/o injuries	1
4	4
4 Hazardous Condition (no fire)	
444 Power line down	3
4441 Cable/Telephone line down	1
4	4
5 Service Call	
550 Public service assistance	1
2	2
553 Public service	3

ACTIVITY	Staff Count	Total Hours
Description		
Fire At Scene	41	23.51
Medical At Scene	8	3.66
Building Inspection	2	2
Work Detail	2	1
Station Coverage	1	0.32
Inspection of PPE	9	1.23
Weekly/daily Vehicle Checks	20	16
Non-Emergency Fire Dept Incident	2	1
Officer preparing for worknight training	1	1

6 Good Intent Call	
651 Smoke scare, odor of smoke	1
7 False Alarm & False Call	
733 Smoke detector activation (malfunction)	1
743 Smoke detector activation no fire	1
745 Alarm System Activation - no fire	1
8 Severe Weather & Natural Disaster	3



### Meetings/Events:

- 10/30 – T.M.'s Office (8:30 to 10:30)
- 10/30 – Benefits Fair Meeting – Debbie, Marianne, and I checked out Activity Center for floorplan ideas and space for vendors
- 11/2 – met with Steve Brennick and Chris Werner re google docs application for volunteers to log hours
- 11/5 – met with Allyson Mansfield and Dana Peterson of YCCC re Taste of Wells floor plan and number of vendors that would fit in the café

### The following tasks are in progress:

- Media/Facebook - posted Halloween happenings around Wells
- Road Rangers – group has taken a hiatus until spring due to the unseasonably cool weather; thank you e-mail sent to all
- **Upcoming Events**
  - November 6 – Election Day
    - WVF Table Meet & Greet
      - Applications and info distribution
      - Volunteer Marisa Caputo will be handing out Tax Exemptions for Veterans packets at WVF table (ok'd by Clerk's Office)
  - February 10 – Taste of Wells
    - Sunday, February 10, 2019 – Noon to 3 p.m.
      - Updated vendor invite and floorplan
        - Floorplan forwarded to Allyson Mansfield at YCCC for facilities management input
        - Additional meeting tentatively set for Nov. 5<sup>th</sup> with YCCC Facilities Manager to go over floorplan
      - Vendor invites and participation forms printed and prepped for mailing
      - Received contract for rental of café at YCCC – forwarded to Town Manager for review/signature
      - Reached out to YCCC Student Senate leader Michael Oliver re volunteer opportunities for event
  - July 4<sup>th</sup> Harbor Concert - Air National Guard of the Northeast (**tentative**)
    - Harbor Park reserved for July 4th
    - Form DD2536 completed and forwarded to Maine office of the National Guard for processing (Lt. Col. Lyons)
      - Sent request for confirmation of receipt of 10/16 email on 10/24 having not received any correspondence in between
        - Received confirmation of processing on 10/24
      - Request forwarded to proper requesting process in PA; will continue to follow up
    - Left another voice message for June Messier's contact (Drew Minns) on 10/24 to ascertain if there was anything additional that needed to be done to secure the band's appearance on 7/4
- Miscellaneous

- Volunteer master spreadsheet (Excel)
  - Current Openings
    - Budget Committee – 1 alternate
    - Conservation Commission –1 alternate
    - Energy Advisory Committee – 3 regular
    - Events Staff volunteers – ongoing availability
  - Volunteer Hours Form
    - Working on a google doc with volunteer Steve Brennick that would allow all volunteers to log their hours on a weekly or monthly basis
    - Added all board, committees/commissions, and programs to form in drop-down format
    - Received volunteers/hours from Rec for Haunted Hayride (120 volunteers with 1209.5 hours for this event alone – kudos to all involved!!)
- Welcome Wagon
  - Working on a “Welcome to Wells” page for the updated Town website
  - Also a guide with everything new residents would like to know when moving into our Town
    - Ideas
      - Local business ads to offset the cost of printing
      - Partnering with local realtors/builders/contractors to include in their baskets
- Meetup website
  - Created a Wells Volunteer Force group in meetup
    - Very popular way to attract millennials as volunteers for one-time events (CCD, Harborfest, Brew Fest, etc)
- Applications:
  - Applications/Background Checks – total applications to date: **10 apps (FY18/19) – 40% of annual goal**
    - **Torrey Sylvester – called as result of tax insert – possible interest in Conservation Commission; Dr. Grumbling notified**

Hours for this week:

Tuesday, 10/30 – 8:30 to 2:10 (5.75 Hours)

Wednesday, 10/31 – 11:35 to 3:50 (4.25 hours)

Thursday, 11/1 – (4 hours) – Vacation Day

Friday, 11/2 – 12:30 to 3:30 (3 hours)

Monday, 11/5 – 10:05 to 2:10 (4 hours)

Total: 21 Hours

***Please help us spread the word on the many volunteer opportunities available – tell your friends to visit our official town website, [www.wellstown.org](http://www.wellstown.org), or follow us on Facebook, Wells Volunteers. Word of mouth is our best advertising!***

Cindy Adamsky  
Volunteer Program & Events Coordinator