

Zonta Club offering golf day

BELCHERTOWN – Join members of the Zonta Club of Quaboag Valley on Sept. 12 for a fun day on the links at Cold Spring Country Club in Belchertown and be a champion for women and girls. The \$120 registration includes golf, cart, pastries/ coffee, snacks, box lunch, beverages, prizes and more. If you aren't a golfer, you can donate a raffle prize or sponsor a hole. Registration starts at 7:30 a.m., with a shotgun starts at 8:30 a.m.

Registration form and link are at www.ZontaQV.org/golf. Questions can be directed to Mary Knight at 413-219-8260. Your support directly funds scholarships and grants that empower women and girls to overcome challenges and achieve their full potential. We're working to end child marriage, domestic violence, and human trafficking, while also supporting climate justice, education equality, and women in decision-making positions.

Crafters wanted for St. Nick Fair

LUDLOW – Crafters Wanted for the Rosary Sodality's St. Nicholas Craft Fair and Raffle on Saturday, Nov. 14, 2026, at Christ the King Church located at 41 Warsaw Avenue in Ludlow from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m.

The cost is a non-refundable \$40. fee for an 8-ft table, which will be provided by the church. To reserve a table or for more information contact Debbie Martell at 413-547-8739 or Lorraine Bernier at 413-519-7658.

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recipients have not only excelled in their educational pursuits, but also more importantly excelled through the many volunteer activities and services resulting in positive outcomes in our community. The awardees are planning to attend college in the fall to pursue degrees in nursing, forensic science, technology, law, and other fields that will positively affect the world. The Holyoke Rotary Club is proud to have the opportunity to support these individuals and know they will make their mark in the world.

"The Holyoke Rotary Club is proud to be a service organization that gives back to our community. We appreciate our many corporate and event sponsors that enable us to provide scholarships such as these, as well as help fund other deserving projects," said 2026-2027 Holyoke Rotary Club President and Scholarship Committee Chair Kathy Viens. "Other initiatives we are proud to offer include a free summer concert series at Heritage State Park in Holyoke, supplying food for those in need through community collaborations, and funding international clean water initiatives."

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to Latitia Molina, our new Ward 7 Committee member." And lastly, Ward 6 School Committee Representative Patty Norris Lubold, who shared via social media: "Congratulations to our newest Ward 7 school committee member Latitia Molina, an accomplished nurse and parent in the school system, who is dedicated to bringing a fresh perspective on family engagement to the dis-

trict," Norris Lubold wrote. "I would also like to thank the incredible candidates who applied for the position Rashad Milledge, Joe Courchesne, Stephanie Chatel, Erik Zifkak, Michael Sergneri, for their time and continued investment in our community. And to outgoing member Ellie Wilson...thank you for your service!" To note, the Holyoke Sun reached out to Molina and didn't hear back in time prior to press time. We are hoping to have a comment from her by next week's edition.

NOTICE OF TIER CLASSIFICATION 662 SOUTH EAST STREET HOLYOKE, MASSACHUSETTS RTN 1-52058

A release of oil and/or hazardous materials has occurred at this location, which is a disposal site as defined by M.G.L. c. 21E, § 2 and the Massachusetts Contingency Plan, 310 CMR 40.0000. To evaluate the release, a Phase I Initial Site Investigation was performed pursuant to 310 CMR 40.0480. The site has been classified as **TIER II** pursuant to 310 CMR 40.0500. On **June 24, 2026** the Holyoke **Housing Authority** filed a **TIER II** Classification Submittal with the Department of Environmental Protection (MassDEP). To obtain more information on this disposal site, please contact **Todd Kirton, LSP of Tighe & Bond, Westfield, Massachusetts, 413-572-3222**. The Tier Classification Submittal and the disposal site file can be viewed at MassDEP website using Release Tracking Number (RTN) **1-52058** at <http://public.dep.state.ma.us/SearchableSites2/Search.aspx> or at **MassDEP, Western Region, 436 Dwight Street, Springfield, Massachusetts, 413-784-1149**. Additional public involvement opportunities are available under 310 CMR 40.1403(9) and 310 CMR 40.1404. 06/26/2026

City of Holyoke Notice of Public Hearing

The Holyoke License Board will be holding a Public Hearing on **Wednesday July 1, 2026, at 5:15 pm**. You can join via Zoom. com; ID **83974921923**; CALL IN: ***67 646 558 8656** or in person at **City Hall, 536 Dwight St. in the Old Tax Collector Office Room 6**, regarding the application for a **Transfer of an Annual All Alcohol Off-premises License from Bal Kishan LLC DBA High Street Liquor, 648 High Street to Fernandez Wine & Spirit #2 Inc. DBA High Street Liquors 648 High Street**. Pursuant to M.G.L. Ch.138. Applicant: Fernandez Wine & Spirit #2 Inc. License Board: Jose Correa, Chairman 06/19, 06/26/2026

LEGAL NOTICE CITY OF HOLYOKE GAS & ELECTRIC DEPARTMENT TRAFFIC CONTROL FLAGGING SERVICES

Sealed bids for the above will be received by Holyoke Gas & Electric Dept until **2:00 p.m., July 15, 2026**, at the Office of the Manager, 99 Suffolk St, Holyoke, MA 01040, at which time proposals will be publicly opened and read. **Bid Deposit:** A Bid Deposit in the amount

of \$10,000 must accompany all bids and may be in the form of a certified, treasurer's, or cashier's check payable to HG&E from a responsible bank or trust company; cash; or a bid bond from a licensed surety payable to HG&E. **Prevailing Wage Rates:** Prevailing Wage Rates, which are to apply to the work, are set by the Mass. Dept of Labor & Industries.

Additional information may be obtained from: Chi Wong Holyoke Gas & Electric Dept 99 Suffolk St Holyoke, MA 01040 (413) 536-9308 cwong@hged.com

The right is hereby reserved to reject any or all proposals, or to accept any proposal that in the opinion of the Manager may be in the best interest of the City of Holyoke.

Please mark sealed envelopes **"Bid for Traffic Control Flagging Services"** and address them to:

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CITY OF HOLYOKE COLLECTOR OF TAXES

To the owners of the hereinafter described parcels of land situated in HOLYOKE in the county of HAMPDEN and the Commonwealth of Massachusetts and to all others concerned: You are hereby notified that on **Monday, July 13, 2026**, pursuant to the provisions of General Laws Chapter 60, Section 53 as amended, and by virtue of the authority vested in me as Collector of Taxes -

It is my intention to take for HOLYOKE the following parcels of land for non-payment after demand of the taxes due thereon, with interest and all incidental expenses and costs to the date of taking unless the same shall have been paid before that date

Laura E. Wilson
Collector of Taxes

98 MAIN HOLYOKE MA, LLC, Parcel: 0028-3-000007 LAND & BUILDING located at 398 400 MAIN ST in HOLYOKE, LAND & BUILDING containing .047 ACRES shown on Assessor's Map 0028-3000007, recorded at HAMPDEN COUNTY REGISTRY OF DEEDS - Book/Page 24590-76. For FY-2024 & FY-2025 Tax Due \$3,206.19.

HUSSAIN YASSER Subsequent Owner: BRIDGERS RONALD EDWARD, Parcel: 0012-1000005 LAND & BUILDING located at 117 123 HIGH ST in HOLYOKE, LAND & BUILDING containing .101 ACRES shown on Assessor's Map 0012-1000005, recorded at HAMPDEN COUNTY REGISTRY OF DEEDS - Book/Page 25102-529. For FY-2024 & FY-2025 Tax Due \$8,258.65.

HOLYOKE 185 SOUTH STREET, LLC, Parcel: 0009-9000006 LAND & BUILDING located at 185 SOUTH ST in HOLYOKE, LAND & BUILDING containing .328 ACRES shown on Assessor's Map 0009-9000006, recorded at HAMPDEN COUNTY REGISTRY OF DEEDS - Book/Page 22738-235. For FY-2025 Tax Due \$3,696.64.

HOLYOKE 185 SOUTH STREET, LLC, Parcel: 0009-9000009 LAND located at KAY AV in HOLYOKE, LAND containing .107 ACRES shown on Assessor's Map 0009-9000009, recorded at HAMPDEN COUNTY REGISTRY OF DEEDS - Book/Page 22738-235. For FY-2025 Tax Due \$952.05.

HOLYOKE 187 SOUTH STREET, LLC, Parcel: 0009-9000008 LAND & BUILDING located at 187 SOUTH ST in HOLYOKE, LAND & BUILDING containing .240 ACRES shown on Assessor's Map 0009-9000008, recorded at HAMPDEN COUNTY REGISTRY OF DEEDS - Book/Page 23869-116. For FY-2025 Tax Due \$4,696.68.

THE ROMAN CATHOLIC BISHOP OF, Subsequent Owner: GUADALUPE HOLDINGS LLC Parcel: 0010-9000002 LAND & BUILDING located at 435 MAPLE ST in HOLYOKE, LAND & BUILDING containing 1.640 ACRES shown on Assessor's Map 0010-9000002, recorded at HAMPDEN COUNTY REGISTRY OF DEEDS - Book/Page 25795-515. For FY-2025 Tax Due \$26,989.24. 06/26/2026

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Jamie Joslyn
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Turley Publications offers two types of obituaries.

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