

Mayor's Report

December 19, 2019

Mayor's Citizen's Forum: On Tuesday, December 17, the Mayor held the fourth and final 2019 quarterly Citizen's Forum at Borough Hall. Approx. 40 residents attended. An interactive Q & A focused on Crime, Traffic & Speeding and deer control initiative. It was a very festive atmosphere with 10 holiday gift card giveaways courtesy of the Mayor. Next Forum is scheduled for Thursday, March 5, 2019 at 7:00 pm.

Mayor's Veteran's Day Luncheon & Mary Gay Scanlon: The Mayor and the Recreation Committee honored our local veterans at our 5th annual Veteran's Day Luncheon on Saturday, November 9, 2019 at Borough Hall. In attendance to join us was our new Congresswoman from the 5th Congressional District Mary Gay Scanlon, appointed vice-chair of the House Judiciary committee over the Impeachment hearings by Nancy Pelosi.

Census Task Force: The Mayor has commissioned a taskforce to assist the Mayor's Office to do all that we can as a community to ensure that every Yeadonite is registered for the 2020 Census. More information will be forthcoming.

Road Construction: Island Road will be blocked between 70th Street and Main Street in Darby for roadwork for the next several weeks. Residents navigating that thoroughfare are urged to bypass that area using back roads for easier passage.

Magisterial District Court Holiday Open House: There will be an open house on Monday, January 23 between 4:00 pm and 7:00 pm located at 60 W. Marshall Road in Lansdowne. All are welcome to stop by.

Traffic Control: Chief Paparo and I are devising traffic control upgrades in the borough to help control speeding and to ease traffic congestion. A stop sign has been added this week along Long Lane to help slow down speeding.

Lights, Camera & Action: The Borough Management is currently overseeing upgrades to our lighting around Borough Hall, as well as a long awaited systematic borough-wide camera system to help interdict speeders, dumpers, littering, graffiti artists and to help decrease overall criminal activity. Nafis Nichols will provide periodic updates.