

## **Park Manager's Report**

**6/2/2018**

POOL – First, I want to apologize for the pool situation. I had no idea that the pool company would decide to not renew our contract, nor that they would wait until April 21<sup>st</sup> to notify me. Next, I want to thank all of the owners who have given me leads to find life guards.

Unfortunately, none of them have panned out. Here is what I have done to try to get the situation resolved – contacted: about eight pool companies that I found on-line, or that homeowners suggested; YMCA in Salisbury; University of Salisbury; UMES; Wor-Wic College; American Red Cross; Ocean Pines Life Guards; Ocean City Life Guards. In addition, I have ads in three local papers, and I posted the position in an on-line service. So far, Ocean City life guards & the Salisbury Y seem to be holding the most promise. I've also contacted two temp employment agencies – they do not hire life guards for the liability, but one said that they would refer anyone who asked. Sue Naplachowski also contacted the agency that deals with the exchange students. I've been in touch with him, and he said that he would ask around. We have a company to open the pool, clean it & balance the chemicals, but he has no life guards. Janice also contacted a friend of hers who is one of the swim team coaches at Stephen Decatur HS – we're waiting to hear back. We have one application from a man who used to work at Jolly Roger, but he has yet to give me his certification. If anyone has any other suggestions, or knows a life guard, please do not hesitate to contact the office.

STORM DRAIN PIPE – We have tentatively selected Rayne's to replace the pipe. I have a meeting with the engineer and him on Monday to iron out some small details in the contract. The engineer has already contacted the permit company to get what we need. It looks like it's going to cost us a lot less than the original estimate.

ROAD REPAIRS – We have a contract with Matt's Paving to patch a few areas, and to tar seal the cracks.

BOAT YARD CAMERA – We are waiting for Tracy from Advanced Security to show us where he needs the pole placed. Then we can have the electrician run the line, and have Choptank come and install the pole.