

The Borough of Union Beach

Newsletter

"The Best Little Town in New Jersey"

Winter 2016

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News from the Board of Health

January is dog licensing month! You must go to the Board of Health during the month of January to register your dog, as per New Jersey State Law. To register you may either go in person, drop off at the Board of Health box located in Police Headquarters hallway, or mail all necessary information. **Only three dogs allowed per structure** — each must have a current rabies vaccination in order to receive a license. Rabies vaccinations must be good for the entire year 2016. Please bring proof of vaccinations. Exact change or a check is accepted — no bills larger than \$20 and no debit cards.

NOTE: There will be a change in late fee charges as of February 1, 2016, so please pay promptly in January. The Board of Health will be open on Saturdays (in January only) from 9 a.m. to noon. For information, please call 732-264-2365. **NO TRAPPING FROM NOVEMBER, 2015 to APRIL, 2016.**

IMPORTANT: New dog licensing regulations in effect for 2016. Visit ubnj.net for changes.

2016 N.J. DOG LICENSE Borough of Union Beach, County of Monmouth

Name: _____ Date: _____

Address: _____ Telephone: _____

Dog (Sex) Male Female Breed: _____ Age: _____ Hair: Long Short Medium

Color and Markings: _____ Dog's Name: _____

Address at which dog will be kept, if different from above: _____

Rabies Inoculation (Compulsory) Date Expires: _____ Neutered Spayed Micro Chip No. _____

\$7.00 — Spayed/Neutered \$10.00 — Non-Spayed/Non-Neutered
After January 31, late fees will be applicable

*This License expires December 31, 2016 and
is subject to renewal during January, 2017.*

Licensing Official

Borough Meetings and Events

January

- 1 (Friday) Borough Offices Closed — New Year's Day
- 1 (Friday) No regular trash collection in Section A
- 3 (Sunday) Reorganization Meeting at 1 p.m. in Borough Hall
- 5 (Tuesday) Recreation Commission Meeting at 7 p.m. in Borough Hall
- 6 (Wednesday) Library Association Meeting at 7 p.m. in the Library
- 14 (Thursday) Mayor & Borough Council Agenda Meeting at 8 p.m. in Borough Hall
- 15 (Friday) Teen Night Dance at 7 p.m. in Memorial School APR
- 18 (Monday) Borough Offices Closed — Martin Luther King, Jr. Day
- 21 (Thursday) Mayor & Borough Council Public Meeting at 8 p.m. in Borough Hall
- 25 (Monday) Board of Health Meeting at 7 p.m. in Borough Hall
- 27 (Wednesday) Planning Board Meeting at 7 p.m. in Borough Hall

February

- 2 (Tuesday) Recreation Commission Meeting at 7 p.m. in Borough Hall
- 3 (Wednesday) Library Association Meeting at 7 p.m. in the Library
- 11 (Thursday) Mayor & Borough Council Agenda Meeting at 8 p.m. in Borough Hall
- 12 (Friday) Borough Offices Closed — Lincoln's Birthday
- 12 (Friday) Teen Night Dances at 3 p.m. and 7 p.m. in Memorial School APR
- 15 (Monday) Borough Offices Closed — Presidents' Day
- 18 (Thursday) Mayor & Borough Council Public Meeting at 8 p.m. in Borough Hall
- 22 (Monday) Board of Health Meeting at 7 p.m. in Borough Hall
- 24 (Wednesday) Planning Board Meeting at 7 p.m. in Borough Hall

March

- 1 (Tuesday) Deadline for Submission to 2016 Spring Newsletter
- 1 (Tuesday) Recreation Commission Meeting at 7 p.m. in Borough Hall
- 2 (Wednesday) Library Association Meeting at 7 p.m. in the Library
- 10 (Thursday) Mayor & Borough Council Agenda Meeting at 8 p.m. in Borough Hall
- 17 (Thursday) Mayor & Borough Council Public Meeting at 8 p.m. in Borough Hall
- 21 (Monday) Board of Health Meeting at 7 p.m. in Borough Hall
- 25 (Friday) Borough Offices Closed — Good Friday
- 30 (Wednesday) Planning Board Meeting at 7 p.m. in Borough Hall

** More information on many of these events can be found throughout this Newsletter

**Please join us at the
Annual Union Beach Reorganization Meeting
Sunday, January 3, 2016 at 1 p.m.
Borough Hall, 650 Poole Avenue**

Drug Alliance Teen Night Dances

The following dances will be held in the All Purpose Room at Memorial School:

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| January 15 | Grades 5, 6, 7 & 8 | 7 to 9 p.m. |
| February 12 | Grades 3 & 4 | 3 to 5 p.m. |
| February 12 | Grades 5, 6, 7 & 8 | 7 to 9 p.m. |

Borough Phone Numbers

- FIRE 911
- FIRST AID 911
- POLICE (732) 264-0313
Chief Charles Ervin
- MUNICIPAL ADMINISTRATOR (732) 264-3026
Robert M. Howard, Jr.
- HEALTH OFFICE (732) 264-2365
Eileen Balut
- SEWER DEPARTMENT (732) 264-5657
Alice Ostervich
- FINANCE DEPARTMENT (732) 264-9029
Michael Pennell
- BOROUGH CLERK (732) 264-2277
Anne Marie Friscia
- TAX ASSESSOR (732) 264-2360
Michael DelRe
- COURT ADMINISTRATOR (732) 264-9098
Kate Chieffo
- TAX COLLECTOR (732) 264-5662
Desiree Durkin
- PUBLIC WORKS DEPT. (732) 264-1133
John K. Haines
- RECYCLING CENTER (732) 264-1133
John K. Haines
- PLANNING/ZONING BOARD (732) 739-1503
Madeline Russo
- CODE ENFORCER (732) 526-8686
Robert Parsells
- CONSTRUCTION DEPT. (732) 526-8687
Robert Burlew
- RECREATION (732) 888-6026
- LIBRARY (732) 264-3792
- BOARD OF EDUCATION (732) 264-3133
- MEMORIAL SCHOOL (732) 264-5400
- T&M ASSOCIATES (732) 671-6400
- O.E.M. (732) 620-5035
Michael Harriott

**NJ AMERICAN WATER COMPANY
1-800-652-6987**

**NJ NATURAL GAS COMPANY
1-800-GAS LEAK**

**JCP&L
1-800-662-3115**

IMPORTANT MESSAGE

It is illegal to pump water of any kind into the street. Residents must discharge water into their own backyards.

Newsletter Deadline

Submissions for the 2016 Spring Issue of the Borough of Union Beach Newsletter are due by March 1. All submissions should be sent in writing to Mary Mancini, Department of Public Works by emailing memancini@optonline.net or faxing 732-264-5829.

Snow Removal/Deicing Policies and Procedures from the Department of Public Works

The removal of snow, and deicing of Borough roads, is performed by the Department of Public Works. All snow equipment is deployed by the Director, as needed, after reviewing current conditions and forecasts made available by electronic media and in working closely with the Police, Fire, and First Aid Departments, the School Superintendent, and the Office of Emergency Management by two-way radio communication and cell phones to ensure that our road system is made as safe as possible in a timely, cost effective, and efficient manner for the residents we serve.

When we know measurable snowfall will occur, our very qualified staff of dedicated employees will be called in to apply what is called a brine coat of salt mixed with magnesium chloride to pre-treat the roads prior to, or at the time of, the expected snowfall. With this in place, and as the snow continues to fall and accumulate, we begin to utilize our snowplows, but raise them a bit (so as to not remove the brine coat of salt we applied) and begin the plowing process. This initial application of salt will serve the motorist well, as it begins to melt the snow as it falls and maintains a point of traction for your vehicle as you travel our roads, and we begin to plow off the excess snow that has accumulated. On other occasions, when winter weather conditions permit rainfall to take place during the day and later freeze at night, the same de-icing process will take place.

It is during these times that our roads are prioritized to always allow Emergency Services (Fire, First Aid and OEM) safe travel to help residents during a situation requiring the transportation to a local hospital, a household fire or other emergency where the Office of Emergency Management is needed.

First priority roads would include roads that directly connect to County and State roads such as Poole, Park, Morningside, Front, etc. with secondary roads being Central, Center, Lorillard, and so on. We also assist with the County roads that run through the Borough, as needed, to improve conditions for our residents.

Following these additional guidelines will also help us in serving the residents in a more effective manner during any snow or ice emergency:

- Please do not pass our snow plows during any emergency snow operations.
- Please park all vehicles off the street whenever snow is in the forecast.
- Basketball hoops should be removed from the street in front of your house.
- As you stand in front of your house looking at it, please shovel or plow any snow you remove from your driveway to the left side so when one of our snowplows comes down your street, the snow you have shoveled is taken away from your driveway, not put back in it.
- After any plowable snowfall we receive, please keep your garbage and recycling cans out of the street.
- Do not discharge water or shovel/plow/blow snow into the street at any time. This will only delay your street from being properly cleared of snow and ice in a timely fashion, as your street will then be rotated to the bottom of the list. Please talk to your neighbors about this and if you have any questions, call the Director of Public Works, John K. Haines at 732-264-1133.

Disposal of Branches/Brush

Our garbage contractor will accept branches/brush along with your regular garbage pick-up — preferably on the second pick-up of the week (either Thursday or Friday). Branches **MUST** be bundled. Bundles **CANNOT** be more than 4 feet in length and **CANNOT** weigh more than 50 pounds. If branches are too small to bundle, they should be placed in a can, the weight of which should **NOT** exceed 50 pounds. The contractor will accept only **THREE** bundles or cans at a time.

Recycling News

The Borough of Union Beach recycles rubber bands! Please drop them off at the Recycling Center located at 1400 Florence Avenue. We will be donating them to the Keyport Post Office. They are always in need of rubber bands!

2016 RECYCLING AND TRASH COLLECTION CALENDAR

Please check the street listing below to see if your address is located in Section A or Section B. Then follow the calendar to locate your trash, recycling, and bulk pick-up days. If you have any questions, please call 732-264-1133. **ALWAYS PLACE TRASH, RECYCLING, AND BULK AT THE CURB THE NIGHT BEFORE A SCHEDULED PICK-UP.**

<u>Section A</u>		<u>Section B</u>	
2nd, 3rd, 4th, 5th, 6th, 7th, 8th, 9th, 10th, Ash, Aspen, Bay, Bayview (#100-499), Beach, Broadway, Campbell, Center, Central (#100-499), Chingarora, Dock, Edmunds, Ellison, Florence (#100-#1400), Floyd, Front, Gateway, Herbert, Henry, Johnson (#1-99), Locust, Lorillard (#100-499), Maple, Oak, Pine, Park (#100-499), Poole (#100-599), Prospect (#100-499), Raritan, State, St. James, St. Johns, Spruce (#400-799), Victoria, Vista Shores, West		Anderson, Arlington, Asbury, Aumack, Bank, Bayview (#600-999), Beachview, Branch, Brook, Cambridge, Central (#500-999), Chomic, Clark, Columbia (#500-799), Dibling, Donnelly, Fr. Fitzpatrick, Florence (#1500-1799), Harris, Harrison, Haug, Heckelmann, High, Isabelle, Jersey, Johnson (#300-499), Lorillard (#500-999), Morningside, Newark, Ocean, Orange, Park (#500-999), Patterson, Poole (#600-699), Private, Prospect (#500-899), Rose, Route 36, Seagate, Seaview, Scholer, Shore, Spruce (#900-1000), Stone, Sullivan, Sydney, Union, Washington, Wesley, Willow, Wilson.	
Regular trash pick-up is scheduled for Tuesdays and Fridays . You may place up to 3 cans/bags at the curb the night before a pick-up. Each can/bag may not exceed 50 pounds. There will be no pick-up on January 1, 2016.		Regular trash pick-up is scheduled for Mondays and Thursdays . You may place up to 3 cans/bags at the curb the night before a pick-up. Each can/bag may not exceed 50 pounds. There will be no pick-up on November 24 or December 26.	
<p style="text-align: center;"><u>Section A — Recycling</u></p> Pick-up is scheduled on the following Wednesdays: <p style="text-align: center;"> January 13 & 27 February 10 & 24 March 9 & 23 April 6 & 20 May 4 & 18 June 1, 15, & 29 July 13 & 27 August 10 & 24 September 7 & 21 October 5 & 19 November 2, 16, & 30 December 14 & 28 </p> <p>Includes cans & bottles, bundled cardboard, bundled newspaper</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><u>Section A — Bulk</u></p> Pick-up is scheduled on the following Wednesdays: <p style="text-align: center;"> January 6 & 20 February 3 & 17 March 2, 16 & 30 April 13 & 27 May 11 & 25 June 8 & 22 July 6 & 20 August 3, 17 & 31 September 14 & 28 October 12 & 26 November 9 & 23 December 7 & 21 </p> <p>Includes wooden furniture, mattresses, couches, other plastics (3 items per pick-up)</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><u>Section B — Recycling</u></p> Pick-up is scheduled on the following Wednesdays: <p style="text-align: center;"> January 6 & 20 February 3 & 17 March 2, 16 & 30 April 13 & 27 May 11 & 25 June 8 & 22 July 6 & 20 August 3, 17 & 31 September 14 & 28 October 12 & 26 November 9 & 23 December 7 & 21 </p> <p>Includes cans & bottles, bundled cardboard, bundled newspaper</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><u>Section B — Bulk</u></p> Pick-up is scheduled on the following Wednesdays: <p style="text-align: center;"> January 13 & 27 February 10 & 24 March 9 & 23 April 6 & 20 May 4 & 18 June 1, 15, & 29 July 13 & 27 August 10 & 24 September 7 & 21 October 5 & 19 November 2, 16, & 30 December 14 & 28 </p> <p>Includes wooden furniture, mattresses, couches, other plastics (3 items per pick-up)</p>

Leaves will be picked up curbside in the Spring and the Fall. Please use plastic bags only. Do **NOT** mix in other types of debris, including branches. Branches/brush will be taken with regular garbage but **ONLY** when properly bundled. Appliances, electronics and metals will be picked up curbside by appointment only. Please call 732-264-1133 for information regarding any of this. If you are putting out a refrigerator, all doors must be removed.

2016 STREET SWEEPING SCHEDULE

March 1 - November 1
(weather permitting)

First Monday	First Tuesday	First Thursday	First Friday
Florence (#100-1400) Front Dock Locust Second Third Fourth Beach Vista Shores Gateway	Union Brook Shore (#100-899) Prospect (#700-899) Bayview (#600-999) Lorillard (#500-999)	Spruce (#400-800) Center Fifth Sixth Seventh Eighth Ninth Oak Prospect (#300-499)	Park (#500-899) Beachview Central (#500-999) Seaview /Private Columbia (#500-799) Ocean (from Columbia To Bayview)
Second Monday	Second Tuesday	Second Thursday	Second Friday
Park (#100-499) Maple Central (#100-499) Ellison Pine Lorillard (#100-499) Bayview (#200-499)	Jersey Rose Harris Asbury High Willow Isabelle Wesley Patterson	Tenth St. James Floyd Edmunds Bay Raritan Campbell (#100-299) Herbert Henry Chingarora	Ocean (Rt 36 to Jersey) Cambridge Sydney (#500-899) Clark Aumack Washington Sullivan Fr. Fitzpatrick Seagate Shore (#900-1499)
Third Monday	Third Tuesday	Third Thursday	Third Friday
Poole (#100-599) Victoria St. Johns State (#90-199) Campbell (#400-499)	Sydney (#100-199) Morningside Spruce (#900-1000) Wilson Scholer Chomic Anderson Haug Heckelmann Donnelly Dibling Stone (#600-1000)	Broadway Johnson (#1-25) Ash State (#200-399) West Aspen	Poole (#600-699) Stone (#100-599) Newark Orange Harrison Arlington Johnson (#300-499) Branch Bank Florence (#1400-1799)

Please remove all vehicles, trash cans, and basketball hoops from the street on your scheduled day. Thank you for your cooperation.

Union Beach Memorial Library

Welcome Winter! Time to sit by the fire and read a good book! Stop in the Library and choose from new releases, best-selling authors and a variety of children's books. Snowed in? No problem! You can download audio and e-books with your Union Beach Library card through "Library to Go" on the monmouthcountylib.org web site.

The Library is participating in "Food4Fines." Bring in a non-perishable food item to have any current or past fines deleted from your account. We are also accepting food donations as well.

Upcoming Events:

The second and fourth Monday of each month, Miss Val, our children's librarian, hosts Baby/Toddler Story Time at 2:15 p.m. and After School Story and Craft at 3:45 p.m., with a new theme each week! Winter dates are: January 11 & 25, February 8 & 22, March 14, and April 11 & 25.

Saturday, January 23 — 1:30 p.m. SPECIAL EVENT — MOMMY AND ME TEA PARTY WITH LOCAL AUTHOR CONNIE CABRINA. Local resident, Connie Cabrina, is an artist, author, philanthropist, and cancer survivor. Her experiences with cancer and motherhood inspired her to write her unique keepsake and wonderfully interactive children's book, *A Mommy's Promise*. The Library will be hosting a Mommy and Me Tea Party as Connie shares her story. Additionally, we will do "Mommy and Me Mani's" using *Hot Nails* kid-friendly, non-toxic nail polish. This exciting event is recommended for parents and children ages 3 and up. Registration is recommended, but not required. **As food products will be involved, please let us know of any allergies you or your child may have**

Bayshore Babe Ruth Baseball will be holding sign-ups for the Spring season at the Library on the following dates: Tuesdays (1/12, 1/26, 2/9, 2/23) from 6 to 8 p.m.; Thursdays (1/21, 2/4, 2/18) from 6 to 8 p.m.; and Saturdays (1/9, 1/16, 1/23, 2/6, 2/13, 2/20, 2/27) from 10 a.m. to noon.

Closings:

January 18 — Martin Luther King Jr. Day; February 15 — Presidents' Day; March 25 — Good Friday; & March 28 — Easter Monday.

Are you interested in participating in events and giving back to the community? The Library Association is always open to welcoming new members. Help us plan and provide community/family friendly events for yourself and your neighbors. We meet the first Wednesday of each month in the Library at 7 p.m. See upcoming dates on Page 2 of this Newsletter.

Library hours are Monday, Wednesday, Friday from 2 to 6 p.m.; and Tuesday, Thursday, Saturday from 9 a.m. to 1 p.m.

Bayshore Family Success Center

Free Tutoring and Homework Help — The Bayshore Family Success Center is pleased to announce, that in collaboration with the Union Beach Library, we are now offering free tutoring every Saturday from 10 a.m. to noon in the Union Beach Library! Team up with a high school student to help you with your school work! Help is available at no cost in all subjects. Students in K-8 are welcome, but registration is required. Please email familysuccess@cymca.org or call 732-497-3811 to reserve your spot!

Save the Date — the third annual family Valentine's Day Dance will be held on Friday, February 5 from 7 to 9 p.m. at the Union Gardens Fire Company located at 235 Park Avenue. All are welcome, but space is limited so registration is required! Please email familysuccess@cymca.org or call 732-497-3811 by January 29, 2016 to RSVP. Please join us for a fun night of music, dessert, and dancing! Admission is free!

Message from the Code Enforcement Office

Notice to all Union Beach residents — ALL homes, including empty lots, must have a street number on them. These numbers must be three (3) inches in height and be visible from the street.

Once again, we are into the winter months. As the weather gets colder, we ask that you please do not pump any water out into the streets. This could make the streets icy and dangerous for emergency vehicles and volunteers — pedestrians and cars alike.

Engineer's Corner

Borough Engineer, Edward Broberg, P.E., provided the following information concerning the status of ongoing construction projects:

FY 2014 Monmouth County Open Space Grant Program — The Borough recently completed improvements to Scholer Park funded in part through a grant from the Monmouth County Open Space Grant Program. The improvements included installation of additional benches, installation of sod around the existing restroom/concession building, expansion of the existing irrigation system, landscaping and additional security cameras.

FY 2015 Monmouth County Open Space Grant Program — The Borough was awarded a grant from the Monmouth County Space Grant Program in the amount of \$75,000 for the rehabilitation of the existing hockey rink at Scholer Park. The improvements include repair, resurfacing and color coating the existing paved hockey rink surface; replacement of broken dasher boards; and the installation of heavy duty perimeter fencing. We anticipate the improvements to be completed in Spring 2016.

FY 2016 Monmouth County Open Space Grant Program — The Borough recently submitted a grant application to the Monmouth County Open Space Grant Program for the continued improvements to Scholer Park. This year's application is for the expansion of the existing parking lot. This is the final phase of the planned improvements developed as part of the 2003 overall improvement plan for the park. If successful, we anticipate the improvements to be completed in Spring 2016.

FY 2015 New Jersey Department of Transportation Municipal Aid Grant Application — The Borough recently received a grant in the amount of \$160,000 from the New Jersey Department of Transportation Municipal Aid Grant Program for the Reconstruction of Arlington Avenue from Orange Avenue to Johnson Avenue. The improvements include new concrete curbs, sidewalks, drainage, and a total reconstruction of the existing roadway. We anticipate construction to begin early Spring 2016.

FY 2016 New Jersey Department of Transportation Municipal Aid Grant Application — The Borough recently submitted a grant application to the New Jersey Department of Transportation Municipal Aid Grant Program for the Reconstruction of Harrison Avenue from Johnson Avenue to Stone Road. The improvements include new concrete curbs, sidewalks, drainage, and a total reconstruction of the existing roadway. If successful, we anticipate construction to begin in the Spring of 2017.

Reconstruction of Central Avenue — The Borough awarded a construction contract to A-Team Construction, South River, NJ for the 2015 Road Improvement Program. The program included the Reconstruction of Central Avenue from Union Avenue to the westerly terminus. The improvements included new concrete curbs, sidewalks, drainage and a total reconstruction of the existing roadway. The construction is now completed.

Reconstruction of West Street — As part of the 2015 Roadway Improvement Program, the Borough awarded a construction contract to A-Team Construction, South River, NJ for the Reconstruction of West Street from Broadway to State Street. The improvements included new concrete curbs, drainage and a total reconstruction of the existing roadway. The construction is now completed.

Reconstruction of Isabelle Avenue — As the part of the 2015 Roadway Improvement Program, the Borough awarded a construction contract to A-Team Construction, South River, NJ for the Reconstruction of Isabelle Avenue from Patterson Avenue to the westerly terminus. The improvements included new concrete curbs, drainage and a total reconstruction of the existing roadway. The construction is now completed.

FY 2016 Monmouth County Community Development Grant Application — The Borough was recently awarded a grant from the Monmouth County Community Development Grant Program for the Reconstruction of Johnson Avenue from Newark Avenue to Florence Avenue. The improvements include new curbs, sidewalks, drainage and a total reconstruction of the existing roadway. We anticipate construction to begin in the Spring of 2016.

A Message from Mayor Paul J. Smith, Jr.

As 2015 comes to a close, and we prepare to enter 2016, it is a good time to take the opportunity to reflect on the past year and look ahead to the New Year. Many of us do this in our own lives, to look back and see if we accomplished our goals for the year and to consider the changes that have occurred in our lives. This is also a time when we can look at what we managed to accomplish for the Borough in the past year and look ahead to our plans for the coming year.

The impact of Superstorm Sandy continues to be felt in our Borough three years later. However, we have been happy to see many residents able to move back into their homes this past year. We continue to witness homes being raised on an almost daily basis. The Borough has been able to hire three additional workers this year in the Construction Department to aid in getting the paperwork completed to get these families home. The salaries for these workers are mostly off-set through a Zoning Grant, which reduces the impact on the taxpayers. We will continue to do all we can to help get every displaced resident back home!

With a combination of NJDOT and CDBG grant money and through our Capital Improvement Program we stayed on course with the reconstruction of several streets: portions of Seventh Street, Patterson Avenue, Central Avenue, Isabelle Avenue and West Street. We used Monmouth County Open Space Grant money to complete Phase V of Scholer Park Improvements.

Additionally, even though our past Borough Administrator resigned in January, one of the best things to happen to Union Beach this year was the hiring of Mr. Robert Howard as our new Administrator. He comes to us with 21 years of municipal government experience and a thorough knowledge of our municipal budget. He truly is an asset to our Borough.

Looking towards the future, we already have plans for 2016.

With grant money from the NJDOT and the CDBG programs, we will reconstruct sections of Arlington Avenue and Johnson Avenue to start. We will use Monmouth County Open Space Grant funds for the long awaited reconstruction of the hockey rink at Scholer Park for our youth. We will continue the "Turf Maintenance" program for our soccer and little league fields to enhance those programs.

We will continue to address the problem of the vacant and abandoned homes in the Borough to improve the quality of life for all of the residents.

And most importantly, we will remain diligent and do all that we can do in making sure that the Army Corps of Engineer's flood protection project begins in 2016 as promised!

I wish all of you a Happy and Healthy 2016!

Keep Smiling, Paul

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