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Dear Helmetta Friends & Neighbors:

Hope this letter finds you keeping cool and enjoying some summer fun! As the COVID-19 wave seems to trend downwards, we are still reminded to remain diligent with safe infection control measures.

Traditions are often meant to bring people and places together. Our **Mayor's March and Spark in The Park** events held on July 3rd did just that! Thank you to all agencies, employees, volunteers, donors and participants who made this event a great success. Save the date for Sunday, July 3, 2022 for the second annual!

We have contracted with **JCP&L** on our **streetlight upgrade project**. This initiative has commenced and is in an attempt to provide well lit streets and roadways that equate to providing a safe haven for our residents and emergency responders. The changeover will continue throughout the next few weeks until completion.

Through the **Department of Transportation Grant**, our most recent development included the milling and paving and of Old Forge Road with the installation of sidewalks on the North Shore Blvd. side for the safety of our residents and neighbors. Maple Street is slated for a similar upgrade in the fall. Furthermore, town-wide street sweeping has taken place in the beginning of July.

Congratulations to the Class of 2021! A special recognition to Harrison Hallerman, Spotswood High School graduate and recipient of the **Mayor Chris Slavicek Scholarship Award** for his distinct delivery and strong focuses on community service.

Community Center rentals have re-opened. Please contact Sandy @ (732) 521-4946 x100 for reservations.

On the home front, I can't believe we celebrated the first birthday of my niece, Hayley, last month! I look forward to an upcoming week down the Jersey Shore and celebrating the milestone of my fortieth birthday at the end of August amongst family and friends.

Hope to see everyone at **Helmetta Day** on **Saturday, September 25th**! Please see the enclosed notice for important information.

Always available,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Slavicek". The signature is written in a cursive, flowing style with a large initial 'S'.

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