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### Selectman's Corner

I hope you attended some of our fall events. The Fall Festival/ Grimm's Haunted House/Pumpkin Run weekend drew big crowds and were big successes. Thanks to all who helped make them happen. I've said it many times but it's worth repeating our quality of life in Haddam and all small towns owes a lot to the efforts of our volunteers. Please consider joining their ranks. There are plenty of opportunities.

We'll have two town meetings in January. On the Tuesday the 16th we have the Annual Town Meeting. As required by our charter, the Annual Town Report will be presented for discussion. We also have to discuss and vote on purchasing a senior van. The van is scheduled for replacement next fiscal year (starting July 1, 2024) but a recent repair to the van indicates the purchase should be moved up. The good news is we budgeted \$130,000 for it but the price will be closer to \$85,000. The second town meeting will be on January 25th to select a developer and approve plans for the Rossi property. We received a \$1.5 million dollar grant from the state for environmental clean-up of the site. The state is getting anxious for us to start but we need the developer and plans before we can. I may also have some revisions to town ordinances to present at that meeting.

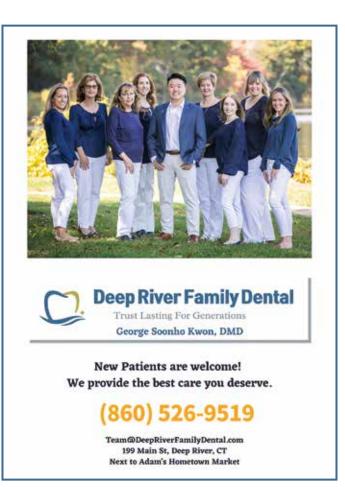
In October, we had an informational meeting from Homeland Towers and Verizon regarding their proposed cell tower in Haddam Neck. The tower will provide coverage of the dead zone along Saybrook Road north of the Pilot House. At the end of November, they submitted their tower request to the Connecticut Siting



Robert McGarry First Selectman

Council to start the formal approval process. By state statute, the request goes directly to the Siting Council and not through the town. There will be a public hearing on a date yet to be determined where you can express your support or opposition for the tower. The town can address the hearing as well. The dead zone on Saybrook Road and vicinity is a major public safety issue and inconvenience to many of us. If the tower is approved, we'll see the coverage improvement in about a year.

Other projects coming this spring - Blueway Commons, the continued on page 4





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apartments on Brookes Court, will start phase two of their development. They've been approved by Planning and Zoning to add 32 apartments to the complex but may seek a revision to build a smaller number of town houses instead. The developers of the apartments at 105 Bridge Road expect to start leasing the one and two bedroom units this spring. The last project I want to discuss is the roundabouts on Saybrook Road in Tylerville. DOT intends to start work on the one at Bridge Road this spring followed by the one at the Route 9 connector. The project will take two years to complete.

Enjoy the winter. Keep in mind the days are getting longer. Stay safe and thanks for taking the time to read this.

Robert McGarry First Selectman



# Assessor's Office News & Important Application Deadlines

#### STATE OF CONNECTICUT HOMEOWNER'S (CIRCUIT BREAKER) & THE TOWN OF HADDAM SENIOR ABATEMENT PROGRAM

The application period for these exemptions is February 1, 2024 to May 15, 2024. Persons who file must be 65 years of age by December 31, 2022 or totally disabled. Please call the Assessor's Office at 860-345-8531 Ext 213 or 226 to make an appointment or to discuss your qualifications.

### **ADDITIONAL VETERAN'S EXEMPTION**

The application period for Additional Veteran's exemptions is February 1, 2023 to October 1, 2024. Please call the Assessor's Office at 860-345-8531 Ext 213 or 226 to make an appointment or to discuss your qualifications.

Proof of income is required when filing for the above programs. Income includes all taxable and non-taxable income as well as social security income.

Exemption forms for the Totally Disabled and for the Blind are available in the Assessor's Office.

If you have any questions please do not hesitate to call us at: 860-345-8531 Ext 213 or 226.

### REPORTING ADDRESS CHANGES IS CRUCIAL TO TAXPAYERS!!!

It is imperative that you report any change of mailing address in writing, by regular mail or email, to the Assessor's Office. The mailing address on the Assessor's records is what is used for all tax bills and other correspondence such as assessment information, assessment appeals information, etc. Not only is this information used by the tax collector but it is also used by the land use office, building department, selectman's office and other departments.

We have come across many circumstances where the mailing address on record has been incorrect. These incorrect addresses may result in interest penalties and other charges imposed by the Tax Collector's Office due to the claim that no tax bill was received. Non-receipt of a tax bill does not negate your liability to pay the bill including any interest or penalties. We are trying

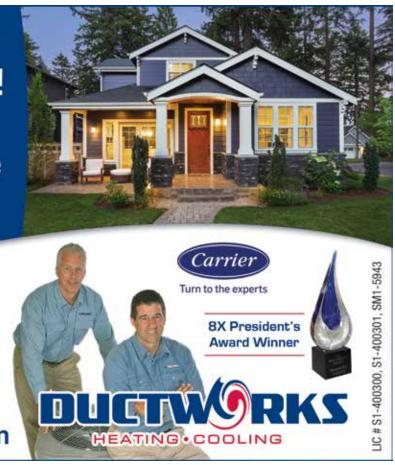
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to spare our residents any problems which may arise from an incorrect mailing address.

Remember, if you move, your mail is only forwarded by the post office for 6 months. In some cases, because the tax bills aren't generated until the following July, your forwarding address has expired leaving the Tax Collector with no current address. According to Connecticut General Statutes we are only obligated to send it to the last known address.

If you elect to receive your mail via a post office box, please note that we are unable to access that information through the post office or any other means, so PLEASE inform our office immediately, in writing, of any change of that type.

Another important point regarding mailing addresses is that if your taxes are paid by your mortgage company we may not have your current mailing address because the bill is forwarded to them for the life of the mortgage. While this may not affect your tax bill during the mortgage period once the mortgage is paid off or refinanced we may not have your proper address. If you are unsure of your current mailing address, you may call the Assessor's Office to verify the address that we have on file.

### MOTOR VEHICLE SUPPLEMENTAL TAX BILL

Motor Vehicle Supplemental Tax bill were sent out in December 2023 cover a period of time from October 2, 2022 to September 30, 2023.



The Department of Motor Vehicles (DMV) does not notify the Assessor's Office of any motor vehicle changes or change of address. We hope the following information will assist our taxpayers in determining the course of action should the status of your motor vehicle change. This will ensure that you receive any credit that may be due. All documentation must be dated and include the vehicle identification number (VIN).

HAS THE STATUS OF YOUR MOTOR VEHICLE CHANGED? Sold, totaled, moved out of state, junked or donated???

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### TO ANOTHER VEHICLE YOU DO NOT NEED TO DO ANYTHING.

As long as you transfer the plate you will receive credit for the old vehicle when you are billed for the new vehicle on the Supplement List.

### TWO FORMS OF PROOF ARE REQUIRED TO REMOVE OR PRORATE A VEHICLE:

**1. PLATE RECEIPT from DMV** indicating that the registration has been cancelled.

### 2. IN ADDITION TO # 1,

ONE OF THE FOLLOWING PROOFS. ALL MUST INCLUDE IDENTIFYING INFORMATION ABOUT THE CAR INCLUDING THE VIN NUMBER

- **a.**) **SOLD** A bill of sale or an affidavit listing the buyer, seller and car info
- **d.) MOVED OUT OF STATE** A copy of registration showing the date the vehicle was registered outside the state of Connecticut
- **b.) STOLEN** A copy of the police report indicating that the car was stolen.
- **d) TOTALED** A statement from the insurance company indicating that the vehicle totaled.

- f.) JUNKED A receipt from junk yard or towing company
- **g.**) **TRADE IN** A copy of the purchase agreement identifying the trade-in vehicle.
- h.) DONATED A statement or letter from the organization

If you move you must, report your change of address to the DMV. You must be sure that the tax town code is changed. This will ensure that your vehicles will be included on the new tax town's tax list. It is important that when you change your address with the DMV that you change BOTH your driver's license AND your motor vehicle registration.

If you receive a tax bill for a vehicle you no longer have in your possession, please do not ignore it. Please call our office at: 860-345-8531ext 213 or 226 with any questions.

### INFORMATION

If you have any question we can be reached by phone at: 860-345-8531 ext. 226 & 213; via email at: assessor@haddam.org or assessordept@haddam.org or you may stop by the office.

We hope you all had a happy and healthy holiday season! Tammy Anderson CCMAI, Assessor Tracy Thompson, Assessment Technician

# Helping Our Community Thrive...



### Tax Collector's Office Greetings from the Tax Office

The second installment for Real Estate, Personal Property and the full Motor Vehicle Supplemental bills are due by February 1, 2024. Postmarked dates from the Post Office are accepted. You can use the pre-addressed envelope that came in the July bills to mail a payment through the lock box. Please be sure to enclose the tax bill with your payment.

#### Payments can still be sent to:

Town of Haddam, 30 Field Park Drive, Haddam CT 06438 or dropped off in the lock box outside the Town Office Building to the right of the front door. And as always, if you want to come in we love seeing residents.

We do not mail out bills for the second installment for Real Estate or Personal Property. If you need a copy of your bill, visit: Haddam.org and search under Pay Taxes Online. You can print a copy of your original bill, pay a bill or see when a payment was made. You can always call, email or stop in for a copy.

If you bought a house, paid off your mortgage, or changed escrow companies

after July, please confirm with them on who is going to be paying the January installment. Please do not assume we have the most current information. If you receive a bill for a vehicle you no longer have contact us immediately. Once interest has accrued it cannot be removed.

Credit Card payments can be made in the office or online. **We do not take payments over the phone.** A service fee of 3% for payments made with a credit or debit card will be applied to all card transactions. An electronic funds transfer can be set up online from a checking account for a flat fee of \$1.50. Please put the current bill number on the memo line, it makes it easier for us to find with online checks from your bank.

If you are paying online, you will receive an email confirmation that your payment was made. If you do not receive one, or you're not sure if your payment went through, please give your bank or the Tax Office a call before you try again. Online payments have to be manually processed in the office and will not reflect on our website for a few days.

Any payments postmarked after February 1, 2024, will start to accrue interest at a rate of 1.5% a month from the original due date of January 1, 2024. To help keep interest down, partial payments can be made at any time.

If you would like to have a receipt mailed to you, please include a self-address stamped envelope and include a phone number and mail the payment to: Tax Office, 30 Field Park Drive, Haddam CT 06438 or use the drop box located to the left of the front doors. **Please make checks payable to:** The Town of Haddam.

#### The Tax Collector's Office hours are:

Monday-Wednesday 8:30 am - 4:00 pm, Thursday 8:30 am - 6:00 pm, and Friday 8:30 am - 12.00 pm.

Sheri Berger - 860-345-8531 X 207 or via email at: taxcollect@haddam.org.

Sincerely,

Sheri Berger, Haddam Tax Collector

### Town Clerk's Office The Town Clerk's Office Wishes All Haddam Resident's a Safe, Happy & Healthy New Year!

### **REMINDER OF LAND RECORD'S**

We would like to remind residents that Haddam Land Records are now viewable online. You are able to view the land records online for free. Visit the Town Clerk's page at: www. haddam. org/town-clerk. Select "Haddam Land Records" on the left side of the page. You will be directed to create an account, once you do that, you will be able to view records. If you would like to print any, there is a \$2.00 service charge with a \$1.00 charge per page.

### WEBSITE UPDATES

We are consistently updating our office as well as our website with new information. Recently we added a list of current Justices of the Peace, information about Marriage Licenses, as well as new forms and applications that residents may need. Please also note that 2023 DEEP licenses are available. Again, please visit our website haddam.org for updates throughout the year.

### **BATTERIES FOR SMOKE DETECTOR'S**

Twice a year our Fire Marshall provides batteries to the public for free to change for their smoke detector. We currently have some left that are available on our counter. It is first come first serve.

#### **SWING BRIDGE PROJECT**

I'm sure you are aware of the East Haddam Swing Bridge project (and how it can be frustrating with traffic) but please know



this is necessary for all of our safety in the future. Construction will take approximately 3 years, from the Fall of 2022 and run until Spring of 2025.

Please be advised that unforeseen circumstances have the potential to impact all scheduled construction operations. If you have any comments or questions about the project, they can be submitted via their website or by email at: easthaddamswingbridgeproject.com or DOTProject40 -141@ct.gov.

Stay informed by visiting the project website and sign up for email notifications to receive traffic alerts and construction notifications throughout the project's duration. You can also monitor traffic conditions at the bridge from their 'live feed' cameras viewable on the project website.

#### **EMERGENCY ALERTS**

As the winter season is upon us, please note that you can sign up on our website at haddam.org/alerts. The Town of Haddam will provide essential information quickly in a variety of situations, such as COVID information, severe weather, fires, floods, unexpected road closures, evacuation of buildings or neighborhoods, and crime watch emergencies.

#### **Town Clerk Hours**

Monday:	8:30 am - 4:00 pm
Tuesday:	8:30 am - 4:00 pm
Wednesday:	8:30 am - 4:00 pm
Thursday:	8:30 am - 6:00 pm
Friday:	8:30 am - 12:00 pm

### Please feel free to contact the Town Clerk's Office via phone or e-mail at:

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### Our Director says Goodbye & We Welcome the New Year!

After nearly 8 years of talented leadership, Library Director, Tom Piezzo, has moved on to new challenges. The staff and community wished him well on December 27th. He will be missed. Be assured however, the library is in good hands with the senior staff, interim director, and board of trustees, all of whom have many years of experience in the library field, manning the helm.

In the meantime, regular programming and patron services continue per usual and the plans for renovation are ongoing.

#### THANK YOU!

The library has enjoyed a lovely holiday season with thanks to the Garden Club for their beautiful decorations. We would like to thank residents for their generous donations of hats and mittens for our 2 Giving Trees. The warm, colorful outerwear will be given to a local charity organization soon. Thanks are also extended to the Friends of the Library for the Truffles for Books, whereby purchases from their onsite "Book Nook" include a free chocolate truffle. There are still some left! They also provide the free children's and teen's book bundles which are in the entry. We hope residents will continue to take them home. We haven't run out!

#### **YOGA CLASSES**

In November and December, BML partnered with Haddam Social Services to provide yoga classes. They were so well attended, we look forward to running them again.

### **CHILDREN & TEENS**

The Children's department is hopping as always with Storytime and Toddler Tunes on Tuesdays and Thursdays at 10 and free craft kits, while the Teen librarian is very busy running many fun programs. At this time, we have: Teen Movie Night, Anime, Art, Pokémon and 2 Game Nights. The Teen Advisory Board meets the 2nd Wednesday of each month. The Taste Test Showdowns will be returning, so be sure to check the Children's & Teen webpages, our Facebook, or Instagram.

### Our Big Event this quarter is: "TAKE YOUR CHILD TO THE LIBRARY DAY!"

We're celebrating all things Mario at this year's Take Your

Child to the Library Day from 11:00 am to 1:00 pm on Saturday, February 3rd! Construct some super crafts, power up with Mario-themed foods, and try your hand at fun activities from the Mushroom Kingdom. You can also play through Mario's history on a collection of different video game consoles from throughout the years!



### Just a few more reminders... BESIDES BOOKS & MEDIA BML PROVIDES:

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Finally, we still have some gorgeous houseplants left from Fall Fest. There are bromeliads, ferns, peace lilies, and a nice big schefflera to provide a beautiful green space in your home.

#### AND!

Some commemorative bricks available to engrave and install in our new walkway. Details are on the website or in the library lobby.

### NOTE:

The dates on the Homepage calendar open to events for more info or to register. But, if you sign up for our monthly e-newsletters you won't miss program announcements! Don't miss what's going on at BML! Visit us at: https://brainerd library.org/

BML Staff looks forward to seeing everyone during their visits and at our programs and wishes the community a Happy, Healthy New Year!

# Com·mu·ni·ty

Noun:

A group of people living in the same place or having a particular characteristic in common.

### **Community Foundation of Middlesex County's Heartfelt Appreciation to Haddam Community**

At the Community Foundation of Middlesex County (CFMC), we are surrounded by generous individuals who have embraced the spirit of community and are working together to help build a Better Today and Brighter Tomorrow. As we look to a new year, let's pause and extend our heartfelt appreciation for all that you have helped CFMC do to support the Haddam community in 2023 and over the years.

### Thanks to you!

CFMC has awarded grants to a wide array of nonprofit programs and services in Haddam. These grants have provided fresh vegetables for soup kitchens and pantries as well as shelf stable foods and basic necessities for those in need.

Together, we made educational resources more accessible

to residents of all ages, encouraged lifelong learning, and instilled the joy of reading by providing literacy opportunities for toddlers, preschoolers, and young students.

You brought the past to life by preserving and promoting the history and heritage of Haddam for present and future generations.

You supported the conservation and maintenance of natural

resources in your town ... and so much more. You truly are Good People Doing Great Things.

Thank you for stepping up and lending a hand to make a difference. We are honored to work with you and put your hearts and dollars to work in your backyard. We look forward to a new year of more good things to come and invite you to learn more about how you can help your community thrive.

The Community Foundation of Middlesex County's interests are your interests, including animal welfare, arts and culture, health and social services, education, history, the environment, civic improvements, recreation, and economic security and opportunity.

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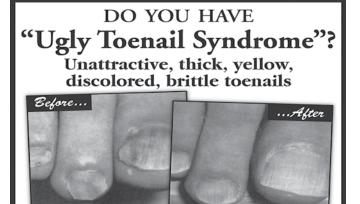


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Haddam Historical Society

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### Thankful Arnold House Museum

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For further information call Lisa at: Haddam Historical Society 345-2400 or contact@haddamhistory.org.

Our mission is to preserve, collect, interpret and promote the history and heritage of Haddam for present and future generations

### HK RECREATION DEPARTMENT

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The Haddam-Killingworth Recreation Department's goal is to provide a comprehensive year-round recreational program which meets the needs of the individuals in the community. The department strives to provide positive recreational experiences which contribute to the individual's physical, social, emotional, creative, cultural, and educational growth and development in order to enrich the quality of life. Take a look at the many programs going on now and sign up today!

### **HK Recreation Winter Programs**

The Haddam-Killingworth Recreation Department is offering many fun and exciting programs this winter. Please visit our website at: www.hkrec.com for more detailed information. Register online at: http://hkrec.recdesk.com/recdeskportal/.

### WINTER PROGRAMS Upcoming Programs Will Include:

**2nd Grade Basketball** Saturdays, 1/13, 10:30 am Killingworth Elementary School)

### Karate Kids

Mondays, beginning 1/8, 3:30 pm Killingworth Elementary School Wednesdays, beginning 1/10, 3:30 pm

### Burr Elementary School

**Abrakadoodle - World Celebrations** Wednesdays, 1/24, 3:30 pm

Burr Elementary School Fridays, 1/26, 3:30 pm Killingworth Elementary School

### Play-Well Transprotation Engineering

Wednesdays, beginning 1/10, 3:30 pm Killingworth Elementary School Thursdays, 1/11, 3:30 pm Burr Elementary School

### Food Explorers - "Cheese Please" Mondays, 1/22, 3:30 pm Killingworth Elementary School

Fridays, beginning 10/26, 3:30 pm Burr Elementary School

### Zumba® Kids

Wednesdays, beginning 1/10, 3:30 pm Killingworth Elementary School continued on page 14





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Thursdays, 1/11, 3:30 pm Burr Elementary School

Running Rams - Strength & Conditioning

Mondays, beginning 1/8, 5:00 pm Killingworth Elementary School

Indoor Soccer Mondays 1/8, 3:30 pm Burr Elementary School Thursdays, 1/11 Killingworth Elementary School)

### Wizards School of Magic

Tuesday, 1/23, 1:15 pm Burr Elementary School Thursday, 2/1, 3:30 Killingworth Elementary School

### **Creative Art**

Tuesdays, beginning 1/9, 3:30 pm Killingworth Elementary School Tuesdays, beginning 2/13 Burr Elementary School Swim Lessons Tuesdays,

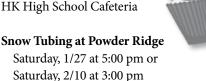
Tuesdays, beginning 1/16, 6:45 pm or Thursdays, beginning 1/18, 6:45 pm HK High School Pool

Scribble, Wiggle & Giggle Tuesdays, beginning, 1/9, 4:15 pm Haddam Elementary School

HK RecCreation Stations Mondays, beginning, 1/22, 10:00 am Haddam Elemntary School

When I'm In Charge Thursday, 2/8, 5:30 pm HK High School Lower Media

Cupcake Decorting (ages 6-12) Fridays, 1/19, 6:30 pm HK High School Cafeteria **Cupcake Decorting** (ages 12 +) Thursday, 2/15, 6:30 pm HK High School Cafeteria



### **Adult Programs Include:**

Aqua Aerobics Mondays and Wednesdays beginning 1/17, 6:45 pm HK High School Pool

### Adult / Child 1st Aid / AED CPR

Monday, 1/29 and Wednesday, 1/31, 5:30 pm HK High School Lower Media

### **Fitness Yoga**

Tuesdays In-Person and Thursdays via zoom beginning 1/9 at 7:00 pm





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Womens Self Defense Thursday, 1/25, 6:30 pm HK High School Cafeteria

**Cupcake Decorating** Wednesday 1/24, 6:30 pm HK High School Cafteria

### Pickleball

Mondays, 1/8 Tuesdays, 1/9 or Wednesdays, 1/10, 6:30 pm Haddam Elementary school

#### Men's Winter Basketball

Tuesdays at 8:30 am Sundays at 12:00 pm, beginning 1/7 HK Old Middle School Gym FOR MORE INFORMATION about any of our programs, please visit us at: www.hkrec.com or theHaddam-Killingworth Recreation Department Facebook page.

TO SIGN UP: Call The Haddam-Killingworth Recreation Department at: 860-345-8334 for more information or go to http://hkrec.recdesk.com/recdeskportal/ to register online.





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### Vista Receives \$500,000 in Funding from the State of CT Bond Commission



Vista Life Innovations' (Vista's) Westbrook Dormitory and Education Center is a historic building located at 1356 Old Clinton Road and is known as the Captain Joseph W. Spencer House. It is located in the heart of the Westbrook Historic Town Center Historic District. The \$500,000 in funding from the State of Connecticut will go to repairing and restoring the historic wrap-around porch on the structure.

For over 30 years Vista has worked to preserve the structure of the building including the wrap-around porch that has had limited access for quite some time. Because of the historic nature of the Westbrook Dormitory all repairs require permission from the State Historic Preservation Office. This includes necessary measures such as the supervision of a contractor certified in historic renovations and consultation with an archaeologist. As you may expect, repairing the porch is a costly undertaking and is currently estimated to exceed \$500,000.

With such a costly and necessary repair, Vista has worked for some time with local legislators, Governor Ned Lamont and his administration, Rep. Chris Aniskovich, and our many other legislative partners, including State Representative Vin Candelora, Rep. Devin Carney, and Senator Norm Needleman to secure state assistance.

After much perseverance and hard work, on December 15,



Left to right: State Representative Christopher Aniskovich, Helen Bosch, Governor Ned Lamont and Vista Board Chair, Christine Picklo.

2023, the Connecticut Bond Commission awarded Vista \$500,000 towards repairing the wrap-around porch of this historic structure. This could not have been achieved without the help of our local state legislators.

Vista is thrilled to receive these funds and appreciates the tremendous support from the Connecticut State Legislature and Governor. Renovations are anticipated to commence in early 2024 with project completion occurring before the end of the year.



Vista Life Innovations is a 501©3 nonprofit organization with campuses along the Connecticut shoreline. Vista's mission is to provide services and resources to assist individuals with disabilities achieve personal success. For more information about Vista, please visit: www.vistalifeinnovations.org.







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