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## Town Manager's Report February 13, 2018

The design and planning of the Oosoola Park Boat Launch continues. The State has hired AE Hodsdon to engineer the plans and they will be sending the plans to me for review and adjustments. Once finalized, we will work to bid the project out.

Dog license late fees went into effect last Thursday. We called the owners of nearly 400 owners to remind them of the late fee. In two days, we licensed 156 dogs in the office. While this is a loss of revenue, in terms of \$25 late fees, the goal is compliance and the expense of Animal Control enforcing licensing will be drastically reduced. As of yesterday, there are 152 unlicensed dogs, down over 300 from last year.

The Airport Advisory Committee met again last Thursday with Gale Associates to review the next section of the Airport Master Plan Update. The meeting went well and there was continued positive progress being made. We received a request from the Forest Service to install a weather station at the airport. MaineDOT and FAA are exploring options for us to co-locate this technology with our existing AWOS system.

The date for automatic foreclosure on 2015 real estate was last Friday, February 2. Four properties acquired as a result of non-payment of taxes; there was one additional property that was recently acquired for non-payment of sewer charges.

Sun	Mon	Tues	Weds	Thurs	Fri	Sat
4	5	6	7	8	9 '17 Abatement App Deadline	10
11	12	13 6PM Selectmen	14	15 1PM VI Meeting	16	17
18	19 Office closed Presidents' Day	20	21 6PM Selectmen	22 8:30AM Assessor	23	24