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## Class of 2020 Vehicle Procession 05.31.2020

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Wed, May 27, 2020 at 5:18 PM

All,

I write to share the Shepherd Hill Class of 2020 vehicle procession and recognition drive from Dudley to Charlton this **Sunday May 31, 2020 starting at or around 11:00 AM**. The vehicle procession will go from Shepherd Hill Regional High School to Charlton Middle School.

We welcome you along the route to show your support of this unique graduating class. Principal Chaplin worked with town safety officials and the health agents/boards to establish an approved plan and route for this event.

The Class of 2020 students will arrive at Shepherd Hill prior to 11:00 AM in their cars but the graduate cannot be the driver. Cars can be safely decorated and it is expected that the driver is a member of the graduate's household. If that is not possible, wearing PPE, including a mask, is necessary.

The vehicle procession will exit the Shepherd Hill driveway to the right along **Dudley-Oxford Road**. The procession will then turn left on **Pierpont Road**. In accordance with our local safety officials, Dudley-Oxford Road and Pierpont Road are the only roads that can safely accommodate parked cars for this procession.

The procession will then continue on **Lelandville Road** and take a right on **Partridge Hill Road**. In accordance with our safety officials there are to be **no** parked cars on Lelandville Road or Partridge Hill Road.

The procession will then take a left on **Oxford Road** to the Charlton Middle School.

Here are a couple of key factors that will help make sure this is a successful procession to celebrate the class of 2020.

1. Class of 2020 graduates and other occupants of the cars may not exit their car at any time during the procession.
2. All participants along the procession must practice social distancing and are encouraged to wear masks.
3. If you chose to park on Dudley-Oxford Road or Pierpont Road, please have your hazards on.
4. There is no street parking along Lelandville Road or Partridge Hill Road.
5. The procession will be led by the Charlton and Dudley Police Departments.
6. Decorated cars must not block the view of the driver and must be school appropriate
7. Only cars occupied by 2020 graduates will be allowed in the procession.
8. Class of 2020 procession cars will circle Charlton Middle School and then exit the procession.

This has been a difficult time for so many but this procession represents the best of our community and the opportunity to recognize the Shepherd Hill graduating class of 2020. We can't thank the town officials enough for their guidance, support and approval. Let's do what is expected and make this a flawless show of appreciation.

Thank you and congratulations Class of 2020.

Respectfully,

Steven M. Lamarche