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To: Mayor Hinchey and members of the City Council
From: John Salomone, City Manager
Subject: City Manager's Report
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The Mayor and I continue to have regular meetings.

I meet with John Wong regarding the usage of the Intermodal Transportation Center for bus service from New York City. He is working on a potential shuttle service for the City, casinos and their employees and guests between Connecticut and New York.

On Tuesday, July 11, 2017, the Public Works and Dispatch Unions first proposal exchange was conducted with Brigid Marks, Human Resources Director, Pat Osten, Assistant Human Resources Director, and I.

I meet with resident Jon Oldfield, regarding FOI requests and questions he had on the city budget.

I attended the City Department Head Coordination Meeting at the Norwich Public Utilities Training Room on July 13th. There was discussion regarding 80 Broadway once the Human Service Department vacates the building. I informed those attending that the City would be working on an RFP to sell the building. My assistant, Jacquie Barbarossa is working with Purchasing Agent, Bill Hathaway to get this completed as soon as possible.

I had a meeting with the Mayor, Aldermen Braddock and Martin, and staff regarding the Shetucket Iron & Metal Scrapyard and the Brownfields associated at the site.

On Friday July 14th, I meet with Greg Schlough, Chairman of the 134th Annual CT State Firefighters Association Convention & Parade the will be held September 15th to the 17th. I also meet with a concerned citizen regarding the status of the Mohegan Park swimming area. In regards to that issue, the city's merit system rules states that employees must be 17.5 years of age to work for the City. I believe we should lower the age requirement for seasonal employees to obtain a larger range of candidates for lifeguards for next year.

I have the Treasurers Report from Michael Gualtieri, for quarter ended March 31, 2017 for your review.