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NEWS RELEASE

Mayor Willey set to deliver State of the Town Address at Easton Library

EASTON (August 12, 2022) – Easton Mayor Robert C. Willey has recently announced that he will be delivering his State of the Town Address on Thursday, August 25, 2022 at the Easton Library.

The people of Easton and those who care for it are invited to come find out what the future holds in store for one of the world’s friendliest places. During his State of the Town address, Mayor Willey will be discussing affordable housing, infrastructure, parks and recreational activities, and public safety.

It is Mayor Willey’s intent to not give anyone surprises, and to be transparent of each topic that will be discussed during the event.

“There are a lot of issues in the town right now, [and I will] cover a variety of stuff it [including] helping to reduce the current need for it,” said Willey. “We will never eliminate it, but we can show people that we are working in that direction. Housing developments that are on the books ready to start, there are programs that the town has in place that we can work with, and there are state programs that we may be able help with.”

Mayor Willey also is going to discuss infrastructure requirements stating, “We have a pretty nice 300 year old town, and some of the infrastructure that is 300 years old too. We do have a lot of parks and recreational activities, and we need to improve on those and keep developing because as the town gets bigger and younger people are moving in, we need a biking trail or a path. We are fortunate that we have a highly rated fire department and a highly regarded police department and it is our benefit to keep them active and supplied and make sure that we have what they need to do their job.”

Mayor Willey is a lifelong Talbot County Resident, and has been in office for the past 31 years. He decided to campaign for his first election in May 1991, and was on Easton Town Council for six years, then promoted as the Council President for six more years.

In 2002, while serving in the Then in May 2003, Mayor Willey was elected Mayor of the Town of Easton.

Talbot County Free Library Director Dana Newman echoed the same sentiments as Mayor Willey in discussing that the library is a good location to hear output from the crowd.

“I look forward to Mayor Willey’s State of the Town Address and hearing more about the improvements as well as plans they are going to work on to improve the future of the town,” Newman said. “Having his address at our location is crucial for everyone including our patrons so they can express the needs of the town. This program is just one of many informative and educational programs the library is offering for the next year, so we encourage everyone to keep checking our website about upcoming programs.”

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About Talbot County Free Library

It is the mission of the Talbot County Free Library to enrich and renew the lives of the people it serves. There are two locations: The main library in Easton is located at 100 W. Dover St., and the St. Michael branch is at 106 Fremont St. The Maryland Room in the Easton branch holds a voluminous collection of genealogical resources and historical documents. Services at both locations include the circulation of books, DVDs, digital devices, free Wi-Fi, public computers, exhibits, and programs for both children and adults. Many of the Talbot County Free Library’s programs are made possible by the generous support of the local community. For more information, please visit www.tcfl.org. Be sure to like the library on Facebook and follow us on Instagram @Talbotcountyfreelibrary.