

COLCHESTER CAUSEWAY

The Colchester Causeway reconstruction is complete and re-opened to the public on Thursday, July 30th. This concludes a project that replaced about 10% of the Causeway's total volume of material that was lost in a severe windstorm and resulting high waves in May 2018. The project was funded with approximately \$1.8M in State and Federal funds and about \$30,000 in local funds.

AIRPORT PARK AND BAYSIDE PARK

Playgrounds are currently open however, are not cleaned or sanitized. We ask that you keep physical distance from others, wash or sanitize hands before & after use, and don't use if anyone in your household is ill. Other park amenities such as tennis/pickleball courts, basketball courts (no contact play) and skate park may be used with proper physical distancing. Tennis court windscreens will not be installed in 2020. Restrooms are open from 8 am to 8 pm. Lower Bayside Bathhouse will be open starting on June 20 from 10 am to 5 pm. Trash/recycling receptacles will be removed for the remainder of 2020 due to park staffing reductions. Pavilion rentals will not be available for the remainder of 2020 as well.

HERITAGE, VALLEYFIELD AND BONANZA PARKS

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BAYSIDE PARK WATERFRONT

We are currently evaluating the waterfront operations and relationship with group size limitations, physical distancing and safety of users and staff. The Bayside Inflatable Water Park will not be open in 2020. Swim Area ropes will be installed. Bayside dinghy dock will be installed. Public restrooms will be open on June 20 from 10 am to 5 pm. No trash/recycling receptacles will be available for the remainder of 2020.

ROSSETTI NATURAL AREA

Swim area will be installed along with swim area buoys. A portolet will be located in typical area and the 6 yard dumpster. We will be removing the trash/recycling station. This area will have limited maintenance due to park staffing reductions.

FORT ETHAN ALLEN

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HEINEBERG/BILLADO FISHING ACCESS

The parking area is currently closed to the public with concerns of illegal dumping that typically takes place in the spring. The area is still open to fishing however; parking is limited to the gate area. This facility is open to the public. Trash/recycling receptacles will be removed for the remainder of 2020.

RECREATIONAL PATHS

Trash/Recycling receptacles will be removed and doggie bags will be checked once a week. We will not be mowing greenbelts this year.