

# **Town Administrator's Weekly Update**

## **Ayer Commuter Rail Surface Parking Lot and Access Improvement Project**

### **October 7, 2016**

- **Park Street Property Acquisition**

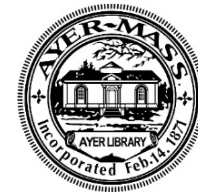
21e (Environmental Assessment), appraisals, review appraisals completed. Offer letters sent.

- **Transfer of Lot from DCR to Town of Ayer**

Town Administration working with DCR, Executive Office of Energy and Environmental Affairs and Legislative Delegation and to transfer lot pursuant to Ch. 228 of the Acts of 2006

- **Selection of Architect and Engineer**

Contract Executed between MART and Weston & Sampson



- **Design Process**

With Weston and Sampson on board, the engineering and design process will commence establishing the process for seeking and incorporating local input from residents and municipal departments.

- **Depot Square Status**

MART is researching fencing options to be installed along the new property line separating the newly acquired station access property from the rest of Depot Square. Removal of existing fire hydrant and replacement of Mill Street replacement hydrant ongoing.

- **USO Building Status**

Under review by Economic and Community Development Office; preparing public discussion/forum on potential uses; energy audit done on outside lighting

- **Construction Status**

Not begun