MANAGER'S REPORT

TOWN OF POLAND, MAINE

To: Board of Selectmen

Date: 1/5/16

CC: Department Heads, Committee Chairs

- **1. Meetings:** I attended the Conservation Commission on the 31st to answer any questions. Representatives from MB Bark came in earlier today to further discuss composting and I attended a special Executive Board meeting at MMWAC today 1/5.
- **2. Transfer Station Issue:** We had an issue with one of the compactors at the Transfer Station on Saturday. The motor for the recycling compactor malfunctioned and became inoperable. We have called in the service company and are also receiving assistance from our Town Mechanic Adam to get it back up and running. Marvin has hopes to get it going again by Monday.
- **3. Resident Plowing:** Once again we'd like to remind residents that by State Law you are not to plow out onto the public way (street) or across the street; you would be subject to a citation.
- 4. Joint Economic Development Meeting: The first meeting of the Joint Auburn/Poland Economic Development Committee was held on December 16 at the Poland Fire Rescue facility. Our representatives attending were Selectman Stan Tetenman and CEDC members Joe Cimino and Norm Davis. Also attending was Auburn Mayor LaBonte, City Manager Kroll, John Holden from the LA Economic Growth Council and Poland Selectman Robinson along with the Auburn members. The group's mission and goals were discussed along with some tasks assigned to members.

7. Employee of the Year: Reminder, we are still accepting nominations for the Annual (2015) Employee of the Year award. Any hourly employee is eligible, salaried employees are not. Anyone can make a nomination; please include a detailed narrative of why the employee should be selected. Please have nominations in by the end of January 2016. I have received one so far.