



Q1 & Q2 (JAN—JUNE 2022)

NEW EMPLOYEE WELCOMES

Kyle Korzeniewski

Roads & Streets: Equipment Operator

Christopher Glynn

Facilities: Maintenance Worker

Everett Tillinghast, Jr.

Roads & Streets: Maintainer

Armand Roma

Fleet: Material Control Specialist

Danial Farr

Transfer Station: Equipment Operator

Kenneth Comfort

Roads & Streets: Equipment Operator

Melissa Ruhe

Water Pollution Control:

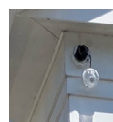
Procurement and Logistics Assistant

Photos: Above/right - Mark Berry, Pks & Rec. Director, Joe Curioso, PWD Roads & Sts. Foreman, Michelle Maitland, PWD Project Mgmt. Specialist & Tom Gavitt, PWD Engineering Inspector. Below: ECCD staff Maura Robie and Heather Palardy, & Pollinator Pathway volunteer founder Kristin Distant.

Public Works: We're MORE than just paving



Passing the new **Community Center**, drivers may catch a glimpse of a field of pink ribbons. The rows of markers are part of re-grading, or leveling of the site, prior to restoration of a Town **soccer field**.



Thrive 55+ (above) installation of new interior & exterior cameras will enhance staff and community members' security & comfort. **Spicer House** (right) Exterior painting



MAKING of a RAIN GARDEN: In eligible areas, Roads & Streets can convert a catch basin to a manhole. When paired with a "curb-cut" this diverts stormwater so run-off exits paved areas— no longer through a drain— but into a newly graded channel, or 'swale' (see left & below). Stones may be added to help control erosion. Specially chosen plants are then installed, and at right is the end result, a "rain garden" which does double-duty slowing run-off & filtering pollution.



Public Works THANKS Eastern CT Conservation District, Long Island Sound Futures Fund (grantee, and plants funder, respectively) Groton Library, & Groton Pollinator Pathway volunteers.