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After 3 frosty mornings last week, we hope that sustained warm weather is with us for the foreseeable future. Tuesday the 12th and Thursday the 14th both saw mornings at 29 degrees, which is rather uncommon for this time of year, but still not out of the realm of possibility. With the warm weather, we will begin placing yellow lines on the roads on Tuesday the 19th. White paint has been ordered, and we have our fingers crossed that it will be here this week as well and we can finish the striping project before Memorial Day. We are about 90% complete on cleaning out the ditches across the mountain, but still have a few remaining, so be aware of traffic stops occurring especially on the Grouse Moor Drive side. The roadside mowing has begun; however, the machine broke down on Thursday of last week requiring us to send the part off to a machine shop to be repaired. This is one of the main reasons for requesting a new tractor and mower, as the one we have is 30 years old and parts are extremely difficult to acquire. It is the last piece of equipment that has been here longer than me!

Golf season is off to a great start, and the turf is in fantastic condition for this time of year. We are slowly beginning to hide the scars of Helene and hope to get the stream bank stabilization project out to bid and started this fall to get everything related to the storm behind us. The pro shop received a new roof last week, as it was much needed due to leaks beginning to pop up. I will be away from work from June 3rd through the 10th as I travel to visit my son in San Diego, CA.

Respectfully submitted,
Bill Daniels,
Village Maintenance Dir.