Dear Washington Residents:

I have a few topics to touch on in today’s update.

Please continue to use the Steep Rock parks while keeping some key points in mind. Remember to have your dog leashed at all times, follow CDC guidelines relative to social distancing and be aware of the time you are in the park. Many people embark on trails later in the day. If you are not familiar with Steep Rock trails, it is a good idea not to wander the trails close to sunset. Visit steeprockassoc.org for more detailed guidelines.

To our friends visiting or renting in Washington from New York City: If you are arriving in town and following the recommendation of Connecticut Governor Lamont as well as the White House Coronavirus Task Force, I am asking that you self-quarantine for 14 days. We have in place a program that will get you your groceries and prescription medication without having to leave home. Please call the Selectman’s office at 860-868-2259 to be enrolled in the program.

I would urge our residents to go to the Town website and sign up for “Alert Now”. This will allow you to get our weekly phone call updates.

As always, socialize from a distance by calling and checking on your neighbors, especially our seniors.

The Selectman’s office will continue to be staffed on Saturdays from 8:00-12:00. Please feel free to call with any questions or concerns (860)-868-2259.

Thought of the Day: “There are far, far better things ahead than any we leave behind”

C.S. Lewis

Thank you to all and stay well.

Jim Brinton
First Selectman