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COVID-19 UPDATE

Five Additional Framingham Residents Test Positive for COVID-19, Bringing Total to 177
City Lights Memorial Building Blue to Honor Healthcare Workers and First Responders

- **Five more people test positive for COVID-19:** The number of people in the City who have tested positive for COVID-19 is now 177. With 21 cases recovered and five fatalities, Framingham currently has 151 active cases. Following the guidance from the Massachusetts Department of Public Health, the Framingham Department of Health has not shared any additional information about those who have tested positive because of privacy laws. The Department contacts the people who were potentially exposed and the owners of the businesses or places of employment where the potential exposures occurred to inform and counsel them on next steps.
- **City lights Memorial Building blue in honor of Healthcare Workers and First Responders:** The City of Framingham's Memorial Building will shine blue to honor healthcare workers and first responders, including policemen and women, firefighters, and DPW employees, on the front lines during the COVID-19 pandemic. "Lighting the Memorial Building blue is a small gesture to express deep appreciation for efforts and sacrifices healthcare workers and first responders provide to the Framingham community, and nationwide," said Mayor Yvonne M. Spicer. "Thank you for everything you do for our City."
- **COVID-19 in Framingham:** Information on COVID-19 in Framingham can be found at www.FraminghamMa.Gov/covid19, which is updated daily. To receive information from the City on a mobile device, text "Join FraminghamMA" to 30890. Residents also can find updates on [Facebook](#) and Twitter - @Framingham_MA. For questions regarding COVID-19 in Framingham, please call the Emergency Operations Center at (508) 532-5800. If there is an urgent update, the City will employ the "Alert Framingham" phone messaging system, otherwise known as Rave. To sign up for the City's Rave system, please go here: <https://www.smart911.com/>

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