**Rural and Conservation District Zoning Changes:**

The Planning and Zoning Boards met on April 27th to accept concerns and questions from the public for consideration before revisiting these Ordinance changes. The Boards will hold a Public meeting on May 18th to discuss changes for the Rural and Conservation Districts. This is a Public Meeting and everyone is invited to attend.

**The New State Wide Building Codes:**

On December 1st the new State Building Code (the ICC codes) went into effect. These codes are the same codes which we have been enforcing for the past several years with a few changes adopted by the State.

**Building Permit Report**

New Building is slow to move forward with a small increase in major permits. We have issued Six permits this month.

I have conducted several inspections during the month.

**General Assistance**

General Assistance applications are expected to be very high this spring and summer, we are expending much more than anticipated. I am afraid the need is going to be much higher than expected.

We are continuing to work jointly with the Salvation Army to help share those fuel costs.