
VILLAGE OF COHOCTON

NEWSLETTER



April, 2018

A Message from the Village Board

We hope by the time you get this newsletter spring will be here. Once again due to the hard winter, cleanup of the areas that were dug up by the plow and road work will take some time, so please be patient with us.

The Village Board has been working hard on the 2018-2019 budget and will once again be able to stay within the NYS property tax cap guidelines. The biggest expense in this coming year will be a new truck for the highway department.

Hill Street is scheduled to be repaved. The Village is working with the Town to have the whole street paved at the same time. The sidewalks on Rosencrans Street will be also completed this summer.

Additionally, the NYS DOT has agreed to lower the speed limit on South Main Street to 30 MPH. That change will be made in the next few months.

The Fire Department would like to thank everyone for supporting their fund drive for the fire hall kitchen remodel. They will be having a drive-through chicken bbqs every other month beginning in April. Pre-sale tickets will be available.

Water Billing

Katherine M. Wise
Village Clerk-Treasurer

Please find enclosed your semi-annual water bill. Payments can be made by the following:

Online at www.villageofcohocton.com.
Drop box or in person at Village Office
17 South Main Street.
Or mailed to the Village of Cohocton,
PO Box 330, Cohocton, NY 14826.

Village Office Hours are Mon-Fri 9:00 am – 3:00 pm

Payment without interest must be received in the Village Office, no later than Monday, May 7, 2018. **Payments received May 8, 2018 thru June 6, 2018 must pay the 10% late amount shown on the bill.** All unpaid bills after June 6th will be subject to water shut off.

***There will be no extensions granted after the shut off date. Payments can be made from the time you receive your bill until June 6th. Do not call the office the day before the shut off date and expect to make payment arrangements.**

*Reminder - Village taxes will be mailed out June 1, 2018

Brush Pick up

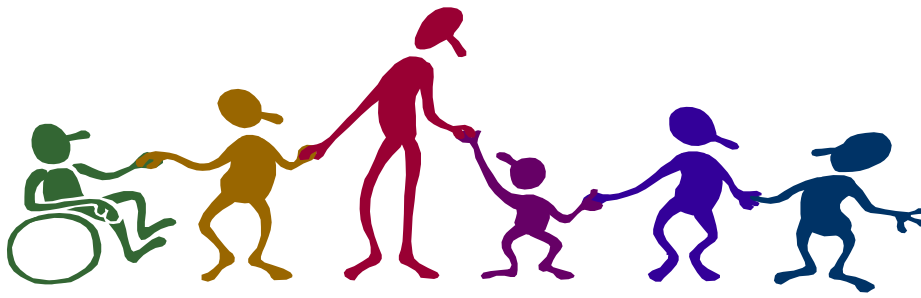
Justin Coats
Street/Water Supervisor

The Village Maintenance Department will begin brush pick up on Monday, April 16, 2018. They will continue to pick up brush every **third Monday of the month thru September**. Brush must be brought to the curb by 8:00 AM and be broken down into lengths manageable by one person. No bagged leaves will be accepted.

Please do not place your brush at the curb before the weekend of the pick-up date.

You can also drop your brush off any time all year long at the Village barn.

Please report any water leaks (standing/running water) to the Village Office.



We always encourage Village residents to become more involved with our community. Listed below are dates and times for the Town and Village Boards, as well as some other organization meeting dates.

[Town Board meeting](#) – the 3rd Tuesday of the month at 7:00 pm in the Atlanta Court Facility, 19 Main Street, Atlanta.

[Village Board meetings](#) – the 3rd Wednesday of the month at 7:00 pm in the Village office, 17 South Main Street, Cohocton.

[Joint Town/Village Planning Board](#) – the 1st Thursday of the month at 7:00 pm, in the Village office, 17 South Main Street, Cohocton.

[Cohocton Volunteer Fire Department](#)- 1st Tuesday of the month at 7:00 pm at the fire hall, 43 Maple Avenue, Cohocton.

[CDC \(Cohocton Developmental Corporation\)](#) – 2nd Tuesday of each month starting in April at 7:00 pm at the CDC building, 71 Maple Avenue, Cohocton.

[Historical Society](#) – the 4th Thursday at 7:00 pm, in the Larrowe House, 15 South Main Street, Cohocton.

Community Dinners:

[Presbyterian Chicken Barbeque](#)- April 7, 2018, noon – til sold out

[St. Jude’s Bike-A-Thon](#) – May 12, 2018 10:00 am to 2:00 pm

[Historical Society chicken barbeque](#)- May 13, 2018 Lion’s Club Pavilion, noon till sold out.

[Fire Dept.](#)- Open house and Chicken BBQ April 28, 11:00 am – 2:00 pm

[St. Paul’s](#) – Chicken BBQ May, 19, 11:00 am until

[Memorial Day Services](#) will be held Monday, May 28, 2018 at 9:00 am at the Veteran’s memorial at Maple View cemetery.

[Food Pantry](#) - Every 1st and 3rd Weds of the month from 1-3 & 6-7 at Sturmer Hall, 35 Maple Ave, next to St. Pius Catholic Church

Swimming Pools

Chuck Cagle

Village of Cohocton Codes Officer

The warm weather is creeping in and we all want to get out doors and enjoy the fresh air. As spring comes and the snow melts away, it uncovers the remains of fall and winter foliage. This foliage although good for the ground, can become unsightly and a blight situation.

New York State Property Maintenance – (NYSPM)

Section 302 EXTERIOR PROPERTY AREAS

302.1 Sanitation. All exterior property and premises shall be maintained in a clean, safe and sanitary condition. The occupant shall keep that part of the exterior property which such occupant occupies or controls in a clean and sanitary condition.

302.4 Weeds. All premises and immediate exterior property shall be maintained free from weeds or plant growth in excess of 10 inches (254 mm). All noxious weeds shall be prohibited. Weeds shall be defined as all grasses, annual plants and vegetation, other than trees or shrubs provided; however, this term shall not include cultivated flowers and gardens.

As we enjoy the warmer weather and the fresh outdoors, let us take a walk around our properties and determine if there is some spring cleaning that can be done. This helps the community as a whole look good. If anyone spots certain areas of neglect in the Village, please feel free to contact myself or the Village Clerk.

Let’s take pride in our community and do some spring time clean up. Thank you for your cooperation.

Frequently requested phone numbers:

Village Clerk	585-384-5252
Village Barn	585-384-5345
Street/Water emergency number	585-727-3661
Village Code Enforcement Officer	607-329-7842
Town Clerk and Town Offices	585-534-5100
Dog Warden, Deb Matthews	585-384-9501
Cohocton Police Department (non-emergency #)	585-534-5100
Town Highway	585-384-5290