VILLAGE OF COHOCTO

NEWSLETTER

April, 2017

A note from the Mayor's desk

Thomas Cox

Mayor

Welcome to spring. I am sure we are all grateful for the mild winter we had. Things have been quiet around the Village. The Village Board has been working on the 2017-2018 Village Budget and will do our best to stay within the NYS tax cap guidelines.

As many of you know already, Leon Sabins our Village Maintenance Supervisor is retiring. I would like to thank him for his 32 years of dedicated service to the Village. He will be greatly missed. If you see him out and about enjoying his retirement, please thank him for his years of service. On that note, I would like to welcome Justin Coats as our new Village Maintenance Supervisor.

A special thank you to the Fire Department for their service to the Community and cooperation with the Street/Water Department.

The Board would like to send their condolences to the family and friends of Kyle Ward who served as ambulance chief. He will be greatly missed.

Hope you all have a very nice Easter.

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 8, 2017. Payments received May 9, 2017 thru June 8, 2017 must pay the 10% late amount shown on the bill. All unpaid bills after June 9th 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 9th. 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, 2017 and can be paid online.

Brush Pick up

Leon Sabins

Street/Water Supervisor

I would like to thank the Village Residents for all your cooperation and support during my 32 years of service for the Village, it has been a pleasure working with you all.

The Village Maintenance Department will begin brush pick up on Monday, April 17, 2017. 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.

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 organizations.

<u>Town Board meeting</u> – the 3rd Tuesday of the month at 7:00 pm in the Atlanta Court Facility, 19 Main Street, Atlanta.

<u>Village Board meetings</u> – the 3rd Wednesday of the month at 7:00 pm in the Village office, 17 South Main Street, Cohocton.

<u>Joint Town/Village Planning Board</u> – the 1st Thursday of the month at 7:00 pm, in the Village office, 17 South Main Street, Cohocton.

<u>Cohocton Volunteer Fire Department-</u> 2nd Tuesday of the month at 7:00 pm at the fire hall, 43 Maple Avenue, Cohocton.

<u>CDC (Cohocton Developmental Corporation)</u> – 2nd Tuesday of each month starting in April at 7:00 pm at the CDC building, 71 Maple Avenue, Cohocton.

<u>Historical Society – the 4th Thursday at 7:00 pm, in the Larrowe House, 15 South Main Street, Cohocton.</u>

Community Dinners:

<u>Presbyterian Chicken Barbeque</u>, April 8, 2017, noon – til sold out <u>Historical Society chicken barbeque</u>, May 14, 2017 Lion's Club Pavilion, noon till sold out.

St. Jude's Bike-A-Thon — May 13, 2017 10:00 am to 2:00 pm Memorial Day Services will be held Monday, May 29, 2017 at 9:00 am at the Veteran's memorial at Maple View cemetery.

<u>Food Pantry</u> - 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

Please Note: <u>ALL</u> swimming pools over 28" -this includes new, pre-existing, and/or temporary pools are required to have a safety alarm and any outdoor swimming pool, including above ground or in ground pool, MUST have a barrier which shall comply with State code regulations-4 feet in height with a locking gate. A building permit is required before installing new pools, spas, and hot tubs having a depth of more than 28".

The Village must receive a certificate from the electrical inspection agency BEFORE using the pool. No one may use a pool, spa or hot tub until a certificate of compliance has been issued by the Code Official. Let it be known that all swimming pool regulations can be obtained by contacting your Code Enforcement Officer at (607)329-7842.

There will be no warnings issued in regards to this NYS regulation. All must comply or an appearance ticket will be issued and fines can be as much as \$250 for every day the violation exists.



Frequently requested phone numbers:

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