

VILLAGE OF MORRISVILLE

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MAYOR'S CORNER

Hello residents. Whenever I take a journey there is that moment that I always look back and remember what was special or not so special. For 24 years I have been on a journey. The journey was being on the Village board, 16 years as trustee and eight years as village mayor. The residents put their faith in me by their vote each time I ran. I will always be grateful that you put your trust in my decisions that would affect you. The one thing that has never changed in all these years is that I always made the concerns, health, safety and well-being for the residents a priority.

To present and past board members I want to thank you for your service. We would not have a village without your dedication to service.

To present and past employees who make our village presentable, safe and operational I truly do appreciate your dedication.

I'm glad that I was able to make this journey with you, but now it is time to begin a new journey. Connie and I are looking for what special memories lay in front of us.

On September 15th the village will hold the village election. Please vote!! There will be a new mayor and two new trustee positions. There will be new members of some other committees that will be starting in the village. I view this as being positive. I do believe that there will be many challenges for the new board now and in the future. May they always remember that this whole thing is about the residents of this village.

There is not enough room in the newsletter to express the thanks that I have for my Clerk-Treasurer and the Deputy Clerk. They always kept everything running smoothly behind the scenes. Their dedication in helping me over the years has been beyond anything I could have expected. I wish them the best.

In closing I want to say to the residents stay safe, COVID 19 will have a vaccine soon which will help to alleviate much of the stress caused by this terrible pandemic.

Also, I have said this many times, we need to support our local businesses. It may cost a few more dollars but you have all seen the effects of having vacant businesses. Soon we will have a new business at the old Valero station in the village. It is a family run business. Please let's support their willingness to come to our small village.

Again, thanks to all who were a part and made this an incredible journey possible!!!

Thanks, Mark

DON'T FORGET TO VOTE!

**THE GENERAL VILLAGE
ELECTION IS
TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 15**



**VOTING TAKES PLACE AT THE
TOWN OF EATON OFFICES, 35 CEDAR ST.**

The following offices are to be elected: Mayor (4-year term); Justice (4-year term); and two (2) Trustee positions (4-year term each). Candidates are as follows:

Mayor

Thomas Lane

Justice

Mark Whitney

Trustee

Kathleen Roher
William Donnelly

SUNY Morrisville Mustang Weekend Parade

SUNY Morrisville is organizing a parade to be held Mustang Weekend. The parade will take place on Saturday, October 3 at 1:00 p.m. Veterans, civic and youth groups and businesses that want to take part in the parade should contact Rhiannon Da Cunha at dacunhrl@morrisville.edu for additional information.

Village offices are open to the public by appointment only

The public is encouraged to conduct business by phone or electronically.

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SUNY Morrisville Fall 2020 Updates

SUNY Morrisville representatives have been in regular contact with village officials since restarting operations and welcoming students back to campus. For their detailed plan, go to www.morrisville.edu/coronavirus

Beginning this week, the college will systematically test each residence hall for coronavirus. Their plan going forward is to conduct testing every Tuesday and Thursday. In addition, the Madison County Department of Health has been collecting waste water samples from SUNY Morrisville. Coronavirus can be detected in waste water approximately seven days before it appears in the population. This waste water testing will be used as an early warning detection system; if the Health Department sees something occurring they will coordinate targeted testing. SUNY Morrisville has developed an online dashboard with information regarding testing and cases which may be found at www.morrisville.edu/covid-dashboard

Students have been notified that parties are prohibited. If you are aware of a violation, please report the details at www.morrisville.edu/form/covid-19-questions

Residents are encouraged to report violations of the village noise ordinance by calling the 911 center's non-emergency line at 366-2311. After making this call please also notify the Village Office of your concerns so additional action, if necessary, may be taken.

When you see our DPW employees Dave Commins and Dave Pushlar in the community please let them know what a wonderful job they are doing to keep our village clean and beautiful. Also, many thanks to Karen Verne whose expertise in the planting of our flower pots make the village bright and cheerful!

2020 Landfill & Yard Waste Pickup Schedule

Note: Items must be curbside no later than 8:00 am the day of pickup. After a street has been picked up the DPW will not return to pick up items that are put out after they've been through.

Landfill: includes old furniture, rugs, linoleum and open and dried paint cans. **NO METAL! The following will not be picked up:** tires, household chemicals, pesticides, herbicides, etc., construction debris, paint cans that are not open, computers, monitors, or televisions.

No metal with landfill items.

Rate schedule: 1st bucket \$0; 2nd bucket \$10; additional buckets \$20 (bucket refers to full backhoe bucket).

September 23

October 21

Yard Waste: includes leaves, branches, garden plants and brush (cut 4' length). Uncut branches and brush will **NOT** be picked up.

September 9

October 7

Yard Waste Pickup:

The DPW requests that residents not place yard waste on tarps or in plastic bags. Use of garbage cans is acceptable. If you have any questions, please call the DPW at 684-3776

Did You Forget?

Water/Sewer bills were payable by August 14 to avoid late fees.