MAYOR'S MONTHLY MESSAGE-May 2024

Dear Neighbors,

With Summer 2024 approaching, I am pleased to announce that the Village has signed a contract with Arch Pools, formerly NY Pools, to manage the Wee Wah Beach for the third year. All residents are eligible to join the beach club. The beach will be staffed by a lifeguard, seven days a week from 1pm-8pm, starting May 24 and continuing through September 2. Applications are available on the Village website or in-person at Village Hall.

The Board of Trustees has approved package delivery on Sundays.

The Landscaper Licensing Law is now in effect. Please remind your landscape contractors and tree cutters to file a no-fee application by the May 15, 2024 deadline. In addition, please advise your contractors that their hours of operation for noise-creating work are weekdays from 8am-4:30pm as per Village Code Section 70-5 (A).

The FY 2025 Village Budget has been approved by the Board of Trustees with no tax increase.

The Capital Planning Committee has met and is working on developing a long-term plan for infrastructure improvement and financing the same.

The annual Village election is scheduled for Tuesday, June 18. There are two trustee positions on the ballot. The election will be conducted by the Orange County Board of Elections at Village Hall. The polls will be open from 6am-9pm. Details regarding the election are available on the Board of Elections website.

A Verizon Wireless site crew visited the Village on April 19 and conducted an aerial survey in preparation for submitting a proposal to improve cell service, at no cost to the Village.

Community Choice Aggregation, which will provide residents with electricity generated by renewable energy sources including NYS hydropower and wind power, delivered by O & R, will begin in August. Informational sessions are scheduled for later this month and in June. Residents may opt out of the program and continue to receive electricity generated by fossil fuels.

Spring Bulk Pickup will be held on Saturday, May 11.

If you would like to speak with me in person, I am at Village Hall every Thursday evening from 6-7pm except on Thursday, May 16, when I will be attending a mayors' meeting.

Best regards,

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