

November 2024

Dear Residents of Port Washington North,

As we embrace the crisp, cooler air of November, I want to remind you of some important upcoming events and seasonal preparations.

First, with Election Day approaching, I encourage everyone to make your voices heard by casting your vote. It's a vital way to participate in our community and shape its future.

Additionally, as we move into the colder months, please take the necessary steps to winterize your home. Simple tasks such as insulating pipes, sealing drafts, and checking your heating systems can help you stay warm and safe throughout the winter.

Remember, your village is here to support you. Whether it's a question about local services, don't hesitate to reach out. Together, we will continue to make Port Washington North a wonderful place to live.

Best wishes, Bob Weitzner Mayor, Village of Port Washington North

Appointment of New Village Clerk

We are thrilled to welcome Angelique Melnyk as the new Village Clerk for Port Washington North! Born in Brooklyn and now residing in Massapequa, Angelique brings a wealth of experience and dedication to our community.

With eight years as Deputy Clerk for the Inc. Village of Lake Success, Angelique has earned her Certified Municipal Clerk (CMC) certification and is currently working towards her Registered Municipal Clerk (RMC) designation. She is an active member of both the Long Island Village Clerks and Treasurers Association (LIVCTA) and the New York Conference of Mayors (NYCOM).

Outside of work, Angelique enjoys spending quality time with her family, pets, and 10-month-old son. A devoted New York Rangers fan, she is also passionate about animal rescue and welfare, with a special focus on fostering senior pets.

Angelique is excited to join the Port Washington North family and looks forward to serving our community and contributing to upcoming projects, such as the new playground.

Please join us in giving her a warm welcome!





Updates From the October 8th Board Meeting

- Changed date of January meeting from January 14, 2025 to January 16th 2025
- The village is always concerned about safety for motorists and pedestrians, so we approved to purchase three state of the art speed-monitoring devices







Make your voice heard in this year's election! Early voting will take place at the Port Washington Library on the following dates:

- Saturday, October 26th: 9 AM 6 PM
- Sunday, October 27th: 9 AM 6 PM
- Monday, October 28th: 7 AM 6 PM
- Tuesday, October 29th: 10 AM 7 PM*
- Wednesday, October 30th: 10 AM 7 PM*
- Thursday, October 31st: 9 AM 6 PM
- Friday, November 1st: 9 AM 6 PM
- Saturday, November 2nd: 9 AM 6 PM
- Sunday, November 3rd: 9 AM 6 PM
- *Extended hours for your convenience.

The general election will be held on Tuesday, November 5th. The Village's voting location is Sousa Elementary School. Entrance is located on the side of the building by the rear parking lot.

Remember, participating in the democratic process is a crucial part of civic engagement. There are many resources available to help you make an informed choice, so be sure to use them and make your voice count!



Leaf Pick-Up

The leaf sweeper will pass once on the listed streets during each set of dates.

November 5 to 7, 2024

Angler Lane Boat Lane Bay Drive Cove Lane Cow Neck Road Driftwood Drive Dock Lane Fishermans Drive Port Drive Island Court Marlin Lane Sandy Court Schooner Lane Seaview Lane Seagull Lane Waterview Drive Soundview Drive Steamboat Drive

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Avenue B Pulaski Place Avenue C Radcliff Avenue Old Shore Road Channel Drive Durbyan Place Smull Place Morgan Place Pleasant Avenue Harbor Road Valley Road Mill Pond Road Pleasant Avenue

Orchard Street

December 3 to December 5, 2024

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Winter Safety

Winter safety is essential to protect your home, stay warm, and prevent accidents during the colder months. Here are five key tips to ensure you're prepared:

- 1. Seal Drafts: Keep your home warm and energy-efficient by sealing gaps around windows and doors. This prevents heat loss and helps reduce heating costs.
- 2. Insulate Pipes: Wrap exposed pipes in unheated areas to avoid freezing and bursting, which can cause costly water damage.
- 3. Check Heating Systems: Have your furnace or heating system serviced and replace filters to ensure it runs efficiently and safely throughout the season.
- 4. Prepare for Snow and Ice: Keep a supply of ice melt on hand, and regularly clear snow from walkways and driveways to prevent slips and falls.
- 5. Test Smoke and Carbon Monoxide Detectors: Make sure detectors are functioning properly to avoid the risk of fire or carbon monoxide poisoning during increased indoor heating.

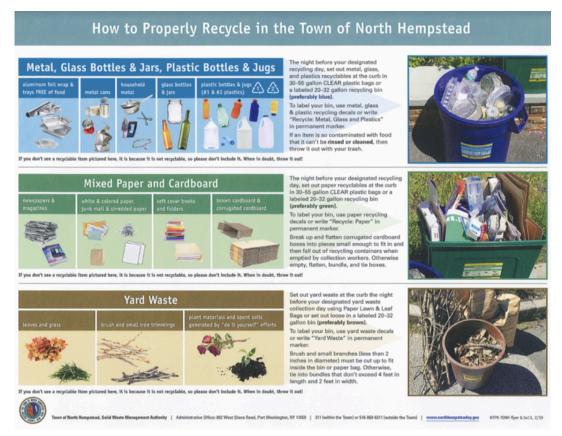
Taking these steps will help keep your home safe, comfortable, and energy-efficient during winter.



Recycling Guide

Recycling helps keep our community clean and protects the environment. To ensure your recyclables are processed correctly, it's important to follow the guidelines set by the Town of North Hempstead. Properly sorting your items not only helps reduce waste but also supports our recycling program's efficiency.

Below are the key guidelines for recycling metal, glass, plastics, paper, cardboard, and yard waste. By following these tips, you can do your part in making a positive impact on our community and the planet.



Water Main Project Update

As the Water District contractors move forward, they will notify you and our residents in the area when they plan to return for the installation of water services and to perform the final restoration work.

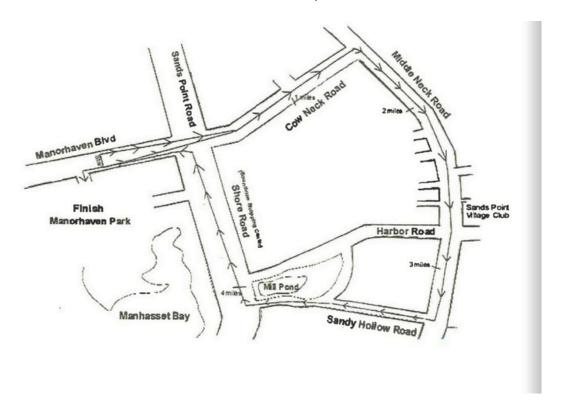
Thank you for your continued cooperation as we work to improve our infrastructure and water services.



Shore Road Closure Update

As many of you are aware, this is a Nassau County Road. We have been working with our Legislator Delia DeRiggi-Whitton to finalize this project.

"Unfortunately this will be a major project. The County is studying the road, and we hope to have an idea of the scope soon, but the road became compromised because of the damage to the sea wall. Although I have not been told in a definite way, I think there is a possibility that the County will want the wall fixed before we put in the funding to fix the road. Again, we will of course keep you updated, but I anticipate a while before all of this work is completed."



Annual Turkey Trot

RThe Thanksgiving Day Run, a cherished tradition for 49 years, returns to Port Washington this year. Sponsored by the Community Chest of Port Washington and the Town of North Hempstead Parks Department, the race brings together runners from all over our community. The course will follow the familiar route, starting and ending in Manorhaven, and winding through the villages of Sands Point, Baxter Estates, and Port Washington North.

Whether you're an avid runner or just looking to enjoy a fun, active way to start Thanksgiving, we hope you'll join in the festivities. Let's keep the spirit of the holiday alive by supporting this beloved community event!