SEWER COLLECTION STUDY: BE AWARE OF INCREASED ACTIVITY AND OUR NEED TO ACCESS PRIVATE PROPERTY

Chief Operator, Jay Irwin, and Operator, Dennis Watson, will be assisted and accompanied by engineers in the evaluation of the sewer collection system. The operators can be identified by their Village of Sherman uniform. They will be conducting the review in and out of back yards; marking, measuring, and mapping the 150+manholes throughout the Village, over the next few months.

Night Time Evaluation: part of the study must be conducted at night when human influence on sewer flow is at its minimum, and when wet weather is at its peak in the springtime.

This important study of the sewer collection system will identify areas in need of repair, address excess inflow, and opportunities to improve efficiencies. If you have any questions or concerns, please contact Jay Irwin at 581-3397.



NEW WATER & SEWER POSTCARD STYLE BILL

Watch for this quarter's bill, coming in a new format. The Village has upgraded the W&S utility billing system. This will provide a more efficient process that will ultimately lead to monthly billing. No other changes are being made at this time.

This summer the Water & Sewer Rents Laws will be reviewed for any necessary updates or changes to terms, rates, and billing cycles; effective October 2018.

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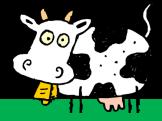


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While Working for our Future.



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CODE ENFORCEMENT:

NEW SOLAR PERMIT – The Village Trustees have decided to waive the solar permit fee for 2018 and 2019. Permit applications are available at the Village Office or directly from our webpage at www.shermanny.org

Solar permits provide uniformity & safety for property owners & firefighters.

Soon it'll be time for pools and projects. Remember to contact the Village CEO's:

> Code Enforcement Officers: Lane Chase 716-969-3922 **Jeff Messenger 814-873-8368**

VILLAGE OFFICE HOURS & IMPORTANT DATES

SPRING AND SUMMER HOURS:

Monday – Thursday 9:00-3:00

Hours extended the 1st Wednesday of the Month until 6:00pm.

After hours appointment accommodations are available, please call the office to make arrangements.

OFFICE CLOSED:

Friday, May 25th – Tuesday, May 29th Tuesday, July 3rd, – Friday, July 6th Closed on Fridays for the months of June through August.

IMPORTANT DATES:

Monday, July 2nd, open 'til 5pm because it's the last day to remit tax payments without penalties.

REGULAR BOARD MEETINGS:

The Village Board meets the first Wednesday of each month, except for July which will be the second Wednesday). Meetings are held in the Village Office at 111 Mill Street at 6pm. This is a public meeting and we encourage our residents to attend.

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and in an effort to provide safety and security for our youth please remember the Village Curfew:

CURFEW:- Section V. Curfew of Minors states "It shall be unlawful for any person seventeen (17) years of age or less to be or remain in or upon a public place within the Village of Sherman during the hours of 10:00 PM to 6:00 AM on all days."

This curfew is not meant to impede respectful afterhours playful neighborhood activity and family recreation. The curfew allows law enforcement the ability to make enquiries and deter youth from loitering around the business district, school, and public parks after hours. The Curfew has been in effect under Local Law 2, since 1999, and carries with it the enforceability of penalties and fines up to \$350 for infractions. The full curfew can be found under Village Government on our webpage at www.shermanny.org. Also please note that ALL VILLAGE AND SCHOOL PARKS are open "Dawn to Dusk".

SAFTEY ON OUR SIDEWALKS

It is critical to keep the Main Street area, and sidewalk up Miller Street to the Post Office, safe and clear for pedestrians. We ask that bicycles and skateboards not be ridden on these sections of sidewalks, in accordance with Chapter VI of the 1966 Ordinance. The Sherman Chamber of Commerce generously donated new signs reminding youth and adults of their responsibility to keep these areas clear and safe. The Bicycle Ordinance will be enforced and further refined after a review of the local ordinances this summer of 2018. Loitering and disorderly conduct are also fineable according to Chapter VIÍ - Curfew of Disorderly Conduct



SIDEWALK REPAIRS

It is our goal to begin a more extensive plan for improvements throughout the Village, including sidewalks. Information will be available in upcoming months as to how you can participate in these discussions, provide input, and share ideas.



2018-2019 VILLAGE PROPERTY TAX BILL

The Sherman Village Board approved a nominal 1.84% increase to the 2018-2019 Village Tax Levy (below the allowable 2.0% increase in the tax cap formula). Village tax payments will be received from June 4th.



There is a change to the format of this year's tax bill, in that the General and Fire portions will be combined and no longer

separated. The Village 2018-2019 budget is available at the Clerk's Office for your review.





At this time, Village garbage bags are only available for purchase at the Village Office. After hour arrangements can be made for pick up or delivery of bags.

> Call Doug Crane 269-9096 or Jeanette Ramm 761-6781.