



COMMUNITY CONNECTIONS

...keeping residents informed of important town news

TOWN CLERK: Marie Cronin
 Hours: **Mon., Tues.** Thurs., Fri. — 11 AM - 4 PM
DEPUTY CLERK: Candis Cook
 Hours: Wed. 11 AM-2 PM
 8102 Dock Street, Montezuma, NY 13117
 Phone: (315) 776-8844. Ext. 1
 Email: montezumaclerk@tds.net
 Fax: (315) 776-9943

TOWN BOARD MEMBERS - Supervisor: David Corey; Councilman & Deputy Town Supervisor: Lee Brew, Councilmen: Thomas Fitzsimmons, Chris Howard, Thomas Hitchcock Jr.

BOARD MEETING - Third Tues.— 6:00 PM

TOWN HIGHWAY DEPT - Ken Cook, Deputy Supt., Chapman Road
 Phone & Fax: 315-776-4315
 Email: montezumahighway@gmail.com

WINTER HOURS: 5 AM–3:30 PM Mon.-Thurs; on duty as needed for weather conditions

TOWN ASSESSOR - Jeff Lowe Office: 315-776-8844; **Cell** :315-783-4104 - Hours: Wed. 5:00-8:00 PM or by appointment

CODE ENFORCEMENT OFFICER - John E. Greer; Office: 315-776-8844; Cell 315-730-2408. Hours: Tues., 4-6 PM

HISTORIAN- Cheryl Longyear; 315-776-4656

PLANNING BOARD - Leah Corey, Clerk 2ND TUES - 7 PM as required.

TAX COLLECTOR - Donna Burleton; Phone: Office: 315-776-8844, Extension 4; Home 315-776-8583

COURT CLERK - Dawn Bisgrove, Clerk Hours: Effective 4/1/23-Mon. & Thurs. 3:30-6:30 PM
 Phone: 315-776-9163; Fax: 315-776-9908

COURT HOURS: First, Second & Third Wed, - 7 PM; Fourth Wed. - 6 PM; Fifth Wed. - No Court.

**2023
 TOWN SPRING
 CLEAN-UP DAY**
**FRIDAY, APRIL 21,
 6 AM-6 PM**
**SATURDAY, APRIL 22,
 6 AM-2 PM**



All trash must be brought to the Town Highway Department (Chapman Road off High Street) for disposal. There will be no door- to-door pick-up.

- ◆No Fluids of any Kind
- ◆Tires and auto parts
- ◆Oil or Toxic Materials (Fluids)
- ◆Electronics
- ◆Paint
- ◆Refrigerators and Freezers
- ◆Air Conditioners
- ◆Propane Tanks
- ◆TV's or Computers
- ◆Boats
- ◆Hot tub and Plastic Barrels —must be cut in pieces that don't hold water

**Senior Citizens/Handicapped/Disabled
 Persons Pick Up**

THURSDAY, APRIL 20, 2023

Seniors, handicapped or disabled persons needing pickup must leave items out by the curb and notify the Highway Department by **calling 315-776-4315, by MONDAY, APRIL 17TH.** Please leave your name, home address, and phone number either on the answering machine or with whoever answers your call.

The town reserves the right to limit amounts.

<http://townofmontezuma.org>

Water Department

Water Billing Clerk

Heather Tanner

Office Hours:

Mondays 4 - 5:30 PM

Wednesdays 4 - 5:30 PM

Phone: 315-776-8844

Email:

montezumawaterclerk@yahoo.com

Payments:

Please mail or use the drop box outside the Town Hall for the safety of our customers.

Montezuma Water District #1

PO Box 357

Montezuma, NY 13117

Billing Information:

Water Meters are read quarterly. Bills are due 30 days from billing date; 10% penalty added to bill after thirty (30) days. Water bills **not paid after 60 days**, the water will be shut off.

Full payments (ONLY)

Emergency Water Contacts

Water Operator: Stan Longyear

315-406-6572 (cell); 315-776-4656 (home); if not available, call:

Deputy Highway Supt; Ken Cook

315-776-4315 (garage); Cell:
315-224-7759

Water Committee Chair, Councilman

Tom Fitzsimmons 315-776-5222 (home)

Water Committee meetings are held monthly. Please contact the Water Clerk during office hours for date & time of the next meeting.

Let us know if you have a community event to promote.

It can be placed in this newsletter, on Facebook and the Town website.

Cheryl Longyear, Editor
315-776-4656
cm115@tds.net

Upcoming Meetings

Meetings are open to the public and held at the Town Hall, 8102 Dock Street unless otherwise specified. Please sign-in when entering the meeting room and save public comments for time given at the end of the Town Board's meeting.

Town Planning Board Meeting Tuesday, April 11, 2023 at 7 PM

Town Board Monthly Meeting: Tuesday, April 18, 2023 at 6 PM

Sexual Harassment and Workplace Violence Seminar Thursday, April 20, 2023 at 6 PM (all town employees are encouraged to attend.)

School Board Budget Meeting at Town Hall Tuesday, May 9, 2023 at 6 PM

Announcements

Tax Collection Notice

Effective **April 1st** property owners must contact the Cayuga County Treasurer's office by calling 315-253-1211 regarding payment of property taxes. Second installment payments are due no later than **July 31, 2023**, with checks made payable to:

Cayuga County Treasurer

160 Genesee Street, 5th Floor
Auburn NY 13021

The Montezuma tax collector will be available on a limited basis to check emails and voice messages.

Annual Canal Clean Sweep

Saturday, April 22nd - 9 am to 1 pm (weather permitting)

Friends of Montezuma Heritage Park is hosting an Earth Day event inviting volunteers to check trails, pick up trash, small fallen limbs and spread mulch,

This cleanup covers the eleven walking trails in the Park along the old Erie Canal and the Seneca River/Barge Canal.

The event will begin at the High Street Kiosk at the Byron Lapp trailhead entrance next to the Fire House. Volunteers are encouraged to wear gloves, as well as boots or work shoes that are not open-toe. Long sleeves and jeans are recommended. Please dress for the weather. Register at Parks and Trails, NY: <https://www.ptny.org/events/canal-clean-sweep> or call Cheryl for more information at 315-776-4656.

