



TOWN OF WOODSTOCK

NEWSLETTER

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This is the first edition of the Town of Woodstock Newsletter, brought to you by the Town Clerk's Office. This monthly newsletter will provide a quick roundup of recent Town news, useful information, opportunities to get involved, and important dates ahead. Find more notices, meeting information, and the calendar at [woodstockny.gov](https://www.woodstockny.gov).

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In Case You Missed It

Alarm Systems Law Adopted. On September 22, the Town Board adopted Local Law No. 2 of 2026, updating Chapter 7 of the Town Code. The law revises the false-alarm fine schedule, establishes a new enforcement framework for water intrusion events, incorporates provisions regarding alarm-company liability, and clarifies the respective roles of Town and fire district personnel in the administration and enforcement of the code. [Read the text of the law here.](#)

Glasco Turnpike Speed-Limit Study. The Town Board approved a resolution supporting a consistent 35 mph speed limit along Glasco Turnpike from Route 212 in Shady to the Saugerties town line. The request has been submitted to NYSDOT and Ulster County Department of Public Works for review.

Good to Know

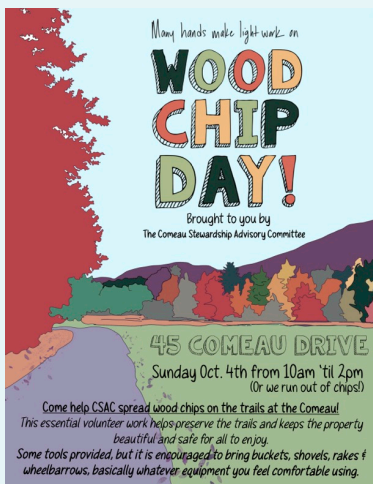
School taxes are paid to your school district—not the Town. Woodstock residents may receive school tax bills from Onteora, Saugerties, or Kingston school districts. Follow the payment instructions on your school tax bill. For the Onteora Central School District, you can look up, print, and [pay your school tax bill online here](#). *Only Town property tax bills are collected by the Town and will be mailed in January.*

Water & Sewer Bills. Bills were sent out October 1. Checks may be mailed, or payments by cash or check may be made at the Town Clerk's Office, 45 Comeau Drive. Any rents, charges, or penalties remaining unpaid on November 10 will be included on the January property tax bill.

You can drop off check payments in the **red drop box** by our front door after hours.

New Leadership in the Building Department. Please welcome Donna LeMoine and Alan Harmon to the Building Department! Their vision for the office is to be accessible, responsive, professional, and communicative, while maintaining consistent and responsible code enforcement. They'll also be posting periodic reminders on our [Facebook](#) page. Contact Building@woodstockny.gov or call 845-679-2113 x13.

Get Involved



Woodchip Day. Come help the Comeau Stewardship Advisory Committee (CSAC) spread wood chips on the trails at the Comeau property! This essential volunteer work helps preserve the trails and keeps the property beautiful and safe for all to enjoy. Some tools will be provided, but volunteers are encouraged to bring buckets, shovels, rakes, wheelbarrows, or other equipment they are comfortable using.

Sunday, October 4, 10am – 2pm, 45 Comeau Drive

Garden Committee Volunteers Wanted. The Woodstock Garden Committee is looking for volunteers and beginning to plan for the next growing season. Help care for community gardens, beautify public spaces, or share gardening knowledge. If interested, email supervisor@woodstockny.gov.



Around Town

New Parking Signs. Woodstock Complete Streets Committee helped procure new parking and street signs to make municipal lots easier to find. These lots have also been added to Google Maps. At the Youth Center, a new courtesy sign asks drivers waiting for pickup to turn off their headlights out of consideration for nearby residents.



Big Deep Parking Lot Improvements. Thanks to the Highway Department and everyone involved in repairing potholes in the Big Deep parking lot this summer!

Coming Up

2027 Budget Meetings. Public meetings to discuss the Town's 2027 budget are being scheduled this month. For the latest schedule, [check the calendar](#).

Scootstock. Watch this 3 Event Jam, hosted by the Youth Center on **Sunday, October 4th, 12–4pm!** This is an all-ages family/child-friendly event with FREE entry! Waivers to participate can be found at the links below and should be signed and turned into the Youth Center at 60 Rock City Road. Download waivers: [Under 18](#) | [Over 18](#)



Woodstock Town Offices will be **closed Monday, October 12.**



Coexisting with Bears. The Woodstock Bear Committee invites you to an upcoming talk with John Milo, a bear biologist with NYSDEC, at the Woodstock Library, 10 Dixon Avenue (2nd floor). *Thursday, October 29, 4 – 5:30pm*

Emergency Alert Notifications. A new Town emergency notification system will be implemented soon and opt-in details will be shared as soon as they are available.

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