

Updates from the Town of Ulysses

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Happy Friday, Ulysses!

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TOWN OF ULYSSES NEWS:

DEADLINE FOR COMMENTS ON PROPOSED ZONING DRAFT

The Town has been working to update its zoning. The most recent versions of the proposed revised zoning parts have been completed and they are ready for additional public input. View them here:

<http://www.ulysses.ny.us/boards/zoning-update/currentdraft/>

Written comments on the proposed zoning are due by September 30, 2018 and can be submitted to the Town Clerk at clerk@ulysses.ny.us; or mailed to Town Hall at 10 Elm St. Trumansburg, NY 14886. Submitted comments will be considered by the Town Board before it votes to pass the zoning into law.

If you have questions about the zoning, please contact Ulysses Town Planner John Zepko at zepko@ulysses.ny.us 387-9778 ext 222 or Consultant C.J. Randall at cjr@randall-west.com.

DEER MANAGEMENT PERMITS (DMPs or DOE PERMITS) ON SALE

The clerk's office is issuing DMPS through October 1 during regular office hours (8am-4pm, Monday-Friday). For more information, visit <https://www.dec.ny.gov/outdoor/6403.html>.

TOWN AFFILIATES:

COACH TOUR OF TOMPKINS COUNTY FARMS

From Debbie Teeter, Community Agriculture Awareness Educator at Cornell Cooperative Extension of Tompkins County:

The Agriculture and Farmland Protection Board invites you to a coach bus tour of farms in Tompkins County on Friday, September 28th from 8:45 a.m. to 2:15 p.m. (lunch is included). The bus will leave from and return to the parking lot behind the Ramada Inn. This year we will be visiting farms along the northeastern border of the county: Moore Tree Farm,

If Only Farm Equestrian Center, Marlindale Farm and Fouts Farm.

RSVP by Friday, September 21 to Debbie Teeter, Community Agriculture Awareness Educator at Cornell Cooperative Extension of Tompkins County, 607.272.2292 or DLT22@cornell.edu

TOMPKINS COUNTY:

FREE RABIES VACCINATION CLINICS

Tompkins County Health Department will hold a free rabies clinic in Trumansburg on Thursday, Oct. 4 at the school bus garage at 100 Whig Street from 7-9pm. You are encouraged to pre-register. Visit <http://tompkinscountyny.gov/health/eh/neighborhood/rabies#clinics> for more information.

HEATSMART PRESENTATION ON COZY HOMES WITHOUT FOSSIL FUELS

Home heating and hot water account, on average, for 75% of the total energy use in Tompkins County homes.

HeatSmart Tompkins is a program designed to provide affordable, energy efficient ways for home heating and cooling through promotion of air- and ground-source heat pumps in combination with improvements in insulation and air sealing. Learn more and talk to vetted installers here in Trumansburg on October 9 from 6:30-8:30 at the Trumansburg Fire Hall, 74 W. Main St. Trumansburg.

Find more on HeatSmart tours of homes with heat pumps, and other information at www.HeatSmartTompkins.org

JOIN A COUNTY ADVISORY BOARD

Advisory boards and commissions provide recommendations to the County Legislature on matters ranging from climate adaptation to arts and culture funding and offer residents the opportunity to share a citizen's perspective with local government leaders.

This fall, Tompkins County is seeking civic-minded volunteers who represent the cultural and geographic diversity of our community to fill vacancies on several boards:

Environmental Management Council (EMC)

Planning Advisory Board (PAB)

Strategic Tourism Planning Board (STPB)

Water Resources Council (WRC)

More information on the available seats can be found under the Department of Planning and Sustainability NEWS at tompkinscountyny.gov/planning.

Apply by Oct. 1 at

www.tompkinscountyny.gov/legislature/advisory-board and should be submitted by October 1, 2018.

NEW YORK STATE:

FROM DEPT. OF ENVIRONMENTAL CONSERVATION

National Hunting and Fishing Day (Saturday, September 22, 2018) is one of six Free Fishing Days in New York State. During these days, anyone can fish the freshwaters of New York State without the need for a fishing license.

FROM NYSEG-Natural Gas Pipeline Safety

Natural gas transmission pipelines often run through rights of way on private property, unlike natural gas distribution lines that most often run under or alongside streets and roads. Transmission lines are often, but not always, marked with line markers that indicate the approximate location of the pipelines. Information on line markers includes the owner of the pipeline, the product in the pipeline and an emergency phone number.

Below are some important reminders to keep you and your family safe:

* Use your senses to detect natural gas leaks. A natural gas leak is usually recognized by smell, sight or sound. A distinctive sulfur-like odor, similar to rotten eggs, is added to natural gas so you'll recognize it quickly.

* If you suspect a natural gas leak, get up, get out and get away! Then call us immediately at 1.800.572.1121 or 911 from a safe location. We'll respond quickly to make sure you and your family are safe.

* Safe digging is no accident. Please call Dig Safely New York at 811 at least two days, but not more than 10 days, in advance of your work, so utility operators in your area can mark any buried utility lines before you start your work.

* Have your heating system, chimney, flues and vents checked* once a year by a professional.

UPCOMING TOWN MEETINGS: (All are open to the public and meet at the Town Hall)

All town meetings are held at the town hall at 10 Elm St., Trumansburg, unless noted otherwise.

For agendas and other meeting information, click on the event on the calendar here:

<http://ulysses.ny.us/calendar/?category=Government>

COMMUNITY CALENDAR:

Check the community calendar at <http://www.ulysses.ny.us/calendar/>. You can also submit your own events.

Forward this message to anyone else that you think would be interested. We'd love to connect with more residents. To send questions or comments, or be removed from this list, please e-mail clerk@ulysses.ny.us

Best,

[Carissa Parlato, CMC \(Certified Municipal Clerk\)](#)

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