



SUPERVISOR'S CORNER

By: Greg J. Goldstein, Town of Neversink Supervisor

Christmas Reminder that the Town Hall will close at noon on December 24th and all day on the 25th for Christmas.

New Years Reminder that the Town Hall will close at noon on December 31st and all day on January 1st for New Years.

Assessor's Office Please take note that the Assessor's Office will be closed December 21, 2009 through January 4, 2010. If you need to bring in your Enhanced Star form during this time you can leave it in the Town Clerk's office. The Aged Exemption forms will be sent out January 6th and will need to be returned with the current income information by March 1, 2010.

Dept. of Motor Vehicles The DMV will be at the Town Hall from 10 AM to 2:30 PM on December 10th.

Emergency Situations Winter weather is upon us and I would like to remind everyone that if they are faced with an emergency situation (i.e. no heat, electricity, etc.) and need assistance from the Town to please call me at the Town Hall or at my home (985-0027) so that I am able to get you the help needed or at least reach out to the appropriate authorities for assistance.

Sewer Project Update We are now waiting for final approval of the project and hope to have some good news very soon. When the project has reached final completion, letters will be sent to every homeowner who is part of the extension project which will explain in detail the next steps for hook-up. **REMINDER - IT IS IMPERATIVE THAT YOU DO NOT START THE SEWER HOOK-UP UNTIL INSTRUCTED TO DO SO BY THE TOWN OF NEVERSINK.**

Stream Management Program The Sullivan County Soil & Water Conservation District and NYC DEP, along with cooperation from the Towns of Neversink and Denning will be developing stream management plans for the upper Rondout Creek and the East and West Branches of the Neversink River. It is through this effort that they will be looking at ways to prevent damage to property owners caused by chronic flooding, erosion problems, etc.

Transfer Station Transfer station hours will remain the same during the holidays. The 2010 annual transfer station permits will be available at the Town Clerk's Office beginning January 4, 2010. As most of you are probably aware, the County of Sullivan will be imposing a fee for the disposal of solid waste and are expected to vote on an exact fee structure on December 17th.

Tree Lighting Ceremony The 4th Annual Tree Lighting Ceremony held at Bicentennial Square on Sunday, November 27th was well attended with approximately 100 people in attendance. I would like to thank everyone who participated in the tree lighting, making this annual event a success. Everyone enjoyed the official opening of the holiday season with caroling, holiday readings and refreshments.

If you have any questions or concerns, please do not hesitate to contact me at 985-2262 ext. 301.

Anyone interested in having the Supervisor's Corner e-mailed to them, please contact Brenda Devore @ 985-2262 ext. 306 with your e-mail address. She will put you on a list to receive the column when it comes out each month.

I would like to take this time out to thank all the residents of the Town of Neversink, the employees of the Town of Neversink, all the members of the Neversink Renaissance, the museum, the library and everyone who works together to make this the greatest community in Sullivan County. Without the volunteers we would not be able to have all the activities we have and this town would not be the great place to live that it is!

MERRY CHRISTMAS AND A HEALTHY AND HAPPY NEW YEAR TO ALL!!