

Updates From the Mayor

January 2025

- Police Update – the Prescription/Drug Drop-Off Box as well as the drop-off box for needle and syringe disposal, both located in the lobby of the Village Hall, continue to be a welcome addition to the Village. Individuals continue to take advantage of using the drop-off boxes to dispose of prescription or other drugs, as well as needles and syringes anonymously.
- Olde Home Days, 2025 (June 6-8) – the Marcellus Rotary Club and the OHD Committee have begun planning the 2025 OHD event to be held the weekend of June 6-8. Information will be made available in the coming weeks regarding tentative events, committee chair contacts, vendor and non-profit participation, sponsorship, and other areas. The Marcellus Olde Home Days Facebook page will be updated as planning continues through the spring. At this time, questions and information requests can be directed to Charney Abbott, OHD Chair at charneyabbott@gmail.com.
- The Village and Town Highway Departments have been working with Marcellus Highschool Students this winter on multiple projects for their senior independent studies. These projects include project management for constructing pavilion and ADA compliant fishing platform, and redesigning and constructing the pavilion.
- Reminder to residents: No parking on Village streets from 2:00am to 7:00am until April 1st. Overnight parking is available in two municipal lots – one behind the Village Hall on Slocombe and another off West Main Street just west of the Catholic Church.
- Christmas Tree Pickup started January 2nd and will continue through the end of January. Christmas Trees may also be dropped off behind the Village Hall.
- The Village has signed a 30-day extension with the Town for their Sewer Agreements. Good till the end of January.
- DEC Division of Water is updating their survey for the first time in twenty years and requested that every Publicly Owned Treatment Works (POTWs) fill out the Descriptive Data Form and 2023 Biosolids Survey by January 15th, 2025. Both were completed and submitted.
- The County DOT will be taking samples of their effluent in the winter months for chloride and cyanide weather dependent.
- The Annual Flow Report has been submitted to the DEC.
- Ellen Spencer and her chemistry class came down to the WPCP for a tour. We discussed with the students the similarities and differences between a water treatment plant and a wastewater treatment plant.