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# Minoa News

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The Village of Minoa Board meets on the 1<sup>st</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> Monday of each month at the Village Community Center @7:30 pm.

## Village Office

213 Osborne St.  
Mon.-Fri.  
8:30- 4:30  
656-3100

## News from the Mayor

### Mayor Says Farewell after 22 Years

To The Residents of the Village of Minoa:

Twenty-two years ago I was elected to serve as Trustee of the Village of Minoa, an office that I held for six years, and subsequently as Mayor for sixteen years. Thank you for the trust that you placed in me when you first elected me to serve you. The time has come for me to move on to other endeavors.

During my time in office, I had the opportunity to work with Village Board members to bring to a successful completion numerous projects. To name a few, the construction of the Fremont Fire Station #2, an upgraded Wastewater Treatment Facility, new sewer and water infrastructure throughout the Village, and an up-to-date recreational play area at Lewis Park as well as a Gazebo and bathroom facilities.

I would like to thank everyone who has worked with me through the many years. My strength has been our Village employees and volunteers. Their dedication and love for the Village helped make my job easier.

I cannot forget to mention our neighboring Villages and Towns, County and State officials who were always there when I needed their assistance. Thank you.

In closing, my hope and prayers are for the continued success of our Village.

*John P Regan  
Mayor*

## News from the Minoa Fire Department

### Fire Department Officers Installed

The Minoa Fire Department installed new Officers on Monday January 12, 2004. Fire Commissioner and Village Trustee, Bill Brazill officiated the ceremony.

#### The Chiefs and Fire Line Officers are:

**Chief – Pat Flannery**  
**Deputy Chief – Don Greveling**  
**Asst. Chief – Dennis Erard**  
**Asst. Chief – Richard Sabin**  
**Capt. Station 1 – Scott Garland**  
**Capt. Station 2 – Jeremy Erard**  
**Lieutenant 1- Ron Pollard**  
**Lieutenant 1 – Jim Pollard**  
**Lieutenant 2 – Matt McGarrity**  
**Lieutenant 2 – Wally Westfall**

#### The Executive Officers are:

**President – Ray Matthes**  
**Vice President – Lew Troast**  
**Secretary – Maxine Pollard**  
**Treasurer – Tom Czajak**



Back Row: L to R  
Matt Garrity, Jeremy Erard, Wally Westfall, Scott  
Garland, Ron Pollard, Jim Pollard  
Front Row: L TO R  
Richard Sabin, Dennis Erard, Don Greveling, Pat  
Flannery



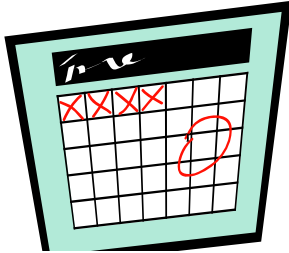
### ***A Word from The Department of Public Works***

There is no overnight parking on Village streets from November 1 – April 15 to allow for snow removal. Please do not park or block sidewalks....the village sidewalk plow can not get through. When plowing out driveways and sidewalks make sure the snow is not placed in the road or on sidewalks. Failure to comply with this request will be subject to violation notices or tickets. Your cooperation is greatly appreciated.

Remember nothing should be placed at the curb before noon the day preceding your designated garbage pickup. Several items tend to soak up a lot unnecessary water weight if put out too soon and end up costing us more money to get rid of (the more garbage weighs, the more we pay).

Every day the D.P.W. is faced with a variety of situations that change at a moments notice. Please be patient with us during bad weather or emergency conditions. If you need assistance, please call Tom Petterelli Superintendent of D.P.W. @ 656-7574.

### ***Calendar of Events***



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|----------------|--|
| 2/1/04         | ESM Youth Sports Board Meeting - 6:30pm - Community Center – 213 Osborne St.   |
| 2/2/04         | Village Board Meeting – 7:30pm – Community Center – 213 Osborne St.  |
| 2/12/04        | Planning Board Meeting – 7:00 pm – Community Center – 213 Osborne St.  |
| 2/17/04        | Village Board Meeting – 7:30 pm – Community Center   |
| 2/17/04        | Food Pantry – 10:00-11:00 am, 6:00-7:00 pm – Community Center<br>*Golden Age meets every Thursday @ 11:00 am – Community Center* |
| 3/1/04         | Village Board Meeting – 7:30pm – Community Center  |
| 3/7/04         | ESM Youth Sports Board Meeting – 6:30 pm – Community Center  |
| 3/11/04        | Planning Board Meeting – 7:00 pm – Community Center  |
| 3/15/04        | Village Board Meeting – 7:30pm – Community Center  |
| <b>3/16/04</b> | <b>Village Elections – 12:00 noon – 9:00 pm – Community Center</b>   |
| 3/16/04        | Food Pantry – 10:00-11:00 am, 6:00-7:00 pm – Community Center<br>*Golden Age meets every Thursday @ 11:00 am – Community Center* |
| 4/4/04         | ESM Youth Sports Board Meeting – 6:30 pm – Community Center  |
| 4/5/04         | Village Board Meeting – 7:30pm – Community Center  |
| 4/8/04         | Planning Board Meeting – 7:00 pm – Community Center  |
| 4/19/04        | Village Board Meeting – 7:30pm – Community Center  |
| 4/20/04        | Food Pantry – 10:00-11:00 am, 6:00-7:00 pm – Community Center<br>*Golden Age meets every Thursday @ 11:00 am – Community Center* |

### ***What's New in Minoa***

2004 will be a very exciting year in the Village of Minoa.

On Dec. 9 by a vote of 308 to 185, Village residents approved the referendum that paves the way for the Village to start building the new community center. The new center, slated for the southeast corner of North Main Street and East Avenue, will include new Village offices, a library and new fire department.

This spring we will be ready to start the Minoa Farms housing project, which could add 247 single family homes to the Village's south side.

A developer is currently seeking final approval to convert the old Smith's Supermarket into a Dollar store and convenience store.

Remember Village Elections are March 16, 2004 12:00 noon – 9:00 pm @ Community Center, 213 Osborne St.

**We also have the *Minoa News* making its debut, keeping residents informed on events in our Village. Coming soon our Village Web site!**



