IMPORTANT UPDATE:

The Town website address has changed to be in compliance with new regulations.

The new website is www.townofelmira.gov



2025

1255 West Water Street
Elmira, NY 14905
(607)734-2031
Monday– Friday 8:30-4:30
www.townofelmira.gov

Town Board Meeting:

August 11th at 7pm- workshop

August 18th at 7:00pm

Planning Board Meeting

August 4th at 7:00pm

Zoning Board Meeting

August 26th at 7:00pm

Meetings are subject to change, please check the Town's website for agenda details

Update from the Supervisor

Hope all are surviving the heat and that you have come to the Park to enjoy the pool. Look for the next opportunity for your kids to enjoy a themed party at the pool that I hear is being planned. Our last was a big success thanks to Loren Sayers our Pool Director, and the great guards we have working this year.

I have mentioned in previous newsletters that the Rec Board is working on an event to celebrate the new basketball courts. Plans are all but finalized but I can tell you that a 3 on 3 tournament will be held at the Town on September 13th for youth ages 8-12 years old. More to come on fees and registration.

There is still a couple more opportunities to enjoy Music in the Park on Wednesdays at 6pm. In August we will have Al Pacete and Lil'Rowdy on the 6th and 13th respectively. It is great fun and the bands have been really great. The Snack Shack is open and kids can play while parents enjoy the music. It's a wonderful free activity for everyone.

I wish to remind all that Town meetings are open to the public and we welcome Residents concerns. It is more productive to call us at the Town or a Board member if you have specific questions that may require some discussion. Periodically there are concerns voiced on social media that are often based on rumor or misunderstanding of processes that Municipalities are held to. We always welcome the opportunity to speak with Residents so they may be properly informed.

Budget planning continues with the Town Board and our Budget Officer Mary Joan Glanton. As was the case last year, costs are increasing especially as it relates to insurance and equipment. We continue to work hard to balance the needs of the departments to continue to provide safety and a pleasant quality of life for our Residents, while respecting the fiduciary responsibility we hold to the taxpayers.

Enjoy what remains of our summer!"
Deep summer is when laziness finds respectability." -SAM KEEN

News from the Clerk's Office

WOW August already! Where has the summer gone? If you are looking for things to do before the kids go back to school, the pool is open until August 24th. Stop by and cool off. We still have swim lesson spots open for August 11– Aug 22. Stop in the Clerk's office to get signed up.

We will be looking for someone who would be interested in running the concession stand starting in 2026. If you are interested please submit a letter of interest either by mail, drop off or email to the Clerk's Office.

The Police Department has an opening for Substitute Crossing Guards. If you are interested stop in the Clerk's Office for an application.

As always feel free to give us a call with any questions and be sure to check our website for information as well.

Pirozzolo Park



Mark your calendars!

August 13th
6pm-8pm
\$5.00 per person

theme will be posted on the West Elmira Recreation facebook page



8/6- Al Pacete

8/13- Lil' Rowdy

Wednesday's at 6:00pm

Bring a chair or blanket and enjoy the summer concerts in the park



Pirozzolo Park is a wonderful place with many activities for all ages. It takes EVERYONE to keep it running smoothly and safe. West Elmira Police work hard at keeping it safe, the Grounds Keeper works hard at making sure the park is clean for all.

The past few years we have had several complaints and have seen vandalism take place in the park. We are able to view these incidents thru the security cameras throughout the park. We are asking anyone that frequents the park to please keep a look out and call the non emergency line at 607-735-8600 if they see anything.

When vandalism occurs, it is the tax payers dollars that go into the clean up.

HELP KEEP OUR PARK SAFE AND CLEAN!!!!







With warm weather brings reports of car break ins.

Be sure to **ALWAYS** lock you vehicles when unattended.

Residents are encouraged to call the non-emergency dispatch number at (607)735-8600 to report suspicious activity.

Tis the season for lawn mowing

Did you know there's one thing you may be doing while mowing the yard that's actually illegal in New York State?

As mowers are being brought out of winter storage, you need to keep this in mind to avoid a fine.

Blowing your grass clipping in the road is against the law in New York. You may not only be fined but you could also get sued if the clippings cause an accident.

Section 1219 of the New York Vehicle and Traffic Law prohibits grass clippings and other debris on streets and highways.

No person shall throw or deposit upon any highway any glass bottle, glass, nails, tacks, wire, cans, snow, grass clippings or any other substance likely to injure any person, animal, or vehicle upon such highway.



Grass clippings can reduce traction and cause a motorcycle driver to lose control.

If there's an accident, you're responsible.

ALSO be kind to the many walkers and keep the sidewalks clean



The West Elmira Police
Department are looking for
Substitutes to fill in as
crossing guards. Anyone
interested is encouraged to
stop in the Clerk's Office and
fill out an application.

