

# The Clarendon Gazette

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## Town of Clarendon Notice by Collector of Receipt of Assessment Roll and Warrant NOTICE

Taxes will be received at the Clarendon Town Hall, 16385 Church Street, Clarendon, NY through April 30, 2015 during Town Clerk Office hours; as follows: Mon, Wed, Thurs 9 AM – 4 PM; Tues 12 Noon-6 PM; Fri 9 AM – 2 PM; Sat 10 AM – 12 Noon.

Checks should be made payable to the Clarendon Tax Collector and may be mailed to PO Box 145, Clarendon, NY 14429. Please bring or send your entire statement when making payment; a portion of your statement will be used as you're a receipt. Please enclose a self addressed, stamped envelope for return receipt by mail. If you have any questions, please contact the Town Clerk's Office at 638-6371 ext. 100.

Susan C. Colby, Clarendon Tax Collector

Fees Charged As Follows:

January 0%    February 1%    March 2%    April 3%

## Orleans County Soil and Water 2015 Tree and Shrub Sale Underway!

For a Tree and Shrub Seedling order form go to  
<http://www.orleansny.com/Departments/ResidentServices/SoilandWater.aspx>  
click on the link to the January 2015 Newsletter  
on the left side of the page  
or you can get one at the Clarendon Town Hall

St. Valentine's Day February 14

Town Hall Offices will be closed  
Feb 16<sup>th</sup> for Presidents Day  
and Court will not be in session.



"Ruler of the Roost!"



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Brian Callaghan, son of Scott & Dawn Callaghan of LaDue Road, Clarendon (*back row, 4<sup>th</sup> from left*) was part of the Monroe County Sheriff's Office Police Bureau recruit class #60 officially sworn into office January 28, 2015. The Deputy Sheriff's are in their 2nd day of administrative training and took an oath of office this morning that was administered by Sheriff Patrick O'Flynn. The recruits also heard from Chief Deputy Forsythe, Chief Gary Carpino of the Civil Bureau, and Major Tomassetti from the Police Bureau. Two of the recruits in the class will be assigned to the Civil Bureau once they complete the academy. They will likely be finished with the academy in December when they receive a uniform and badge. The instructor for this recruit class is Deputy Matt Mackenzie. *Congratulations Brian!*



## HOLLEY PRE-K AND KINDERGARTEN REGISTRATION 2015

Pre-K and kindergarten registration will take place in the Holley Elementary Library Classroom on Wednesday, March 18 from 1-5 p.m. This is the only registration event that Holley will be hosting for Pre-K and kindergarten enrollment for the 2015-16 school year. Pre-K registrations will not be accepted before March 18.

The age requirements are as follows:

- Pre-K children must be four years of age by Dec. 1, 2015.
- Kindergarten children must be five years of age by Dec. 1, 2015.

Parents and/or guardians must bring the following documents with them to register their child:

- Birth Certificate
- Immunization Record
- Proof of Residency (for example, a utility bill)

Registrations will not be completed without these items. Physicals for Pre-K and kindergarten students are required by Sept. 1, 2015.

Holley Elementary School is located at 3800 North Main Street, Holley, NY 14470.

For more information about registration, contact Karen Bower at Holley Elementary School at (585) 638-6318, ext. 2580.

Proprietor Elizabeth Turner opened *Transatlantic Treasures* for business January 3, 2015, located in the 'Old Stone Store' at 16301 East Lee Road in Clarendon (the northwest corner of 31A and 237). The store is closed on Mondays, open Tuesday through Saturday from 10:00 AM to 5:00 PM and open on Sunday from 12:00 Noon to 5:00 PM. *A Grand Opening is planned for Sunday, February 15, 2015 from 12:00 Noon to 5:00 PM.*

*From the Clarendon Historian  
Melissa Ierlan*



My friend John Janelli who came to Clarendon last year to help us celebrate the 150th Birthday of Carl Akeley has given me permission to post an article he wrote for the Texas Taxidermy Association on face book at 'Clarendon New York Historical Group'. Also, notice that TTAI has announced a new award called what else....Akeley Award! Our hometown hero is in the spot light again. How many people do you know of that are still recognized and admired as much as him. Another reason to be proud of Clarendon and its rich history. If anyone has a face book account you can type: Clarendon New York Historical Group and it will lead you to the page for the article entitled "The Man Behind The Mask" by John Janelli

## HILL TALK

*IT IS VERY QUIET UP HERE ON THE HILL.*

I don't wish to sadden people by talking about my problems, but to write this article without mentioning the passing of Jan, my wonderful wife of 55 years, one month, and one day, would be insensate of me.

Many of you have gone through what I'm now experiencing. The dreadful feeling that a very large piece of your life is gone and will never return. That can't be helped but there is something that I can do to enrich the lives of those who are still joined in this life, at least as it appears to me right now. It is to give you valuable information about what is really important in your relationships because I'm not so much missing the big things we did together as much as the experiences of everyday living.

On occasion Jan's health disallowed her from spending too much time out of the house which caused me to do most of the shopping and running around. But when I came back a smiling face was always there to greet me, and the small talk about the weather outside and road conditions turned the house into a home. All of those types of interactions that enriched meals, television shows, bird watching, gardening, and many other parts of daily living that I let slide by with scant notice, have now become very important.

The bedtime small talk about plans for the next day and the prayers were a very necessary precursor to sleep. Even the sound of her breathing was like an extra warm comforter over me.

Our lives together are not made up of cruises, trips, and special vacations, but primarily consist of many small moments together with your loved ones. So treasure each and every one of them now while you still can.

It is very quiet up here on the hill.

**HILL BILL**

The Iroquois Trail Council of the Boy Scouts of America held its annual Cub Winter Fun Day Jan. 17 at Letchworth Park's Trailside Lodge. Pack 3062 from Holley placed in all 7 competitions with 1-1st place, 2-2nd place, 4-3rd place ribbons. There was a snowball throw, ididerod race, nugget run, a tug of war & tube race to name a few events. All of the boys and their families had a great day!

Shown in the picture (back row) John Patt, Hunter Smith, Ronald Thorn, John Kuhls & new Cubmaster Wayne Thorn (front row) Lilly Moore, Gabe Lindsay, Tyler Moore, Damian Frazier, Miguel Pulcino, Ethan Gonzalez, Dawson Arnold, Braden Read



Clarendon Historian and President of the Clarendon Historical Society, Melissa Ierlan and Clarendon Fire Chief Jon DeYoung were among those celebrated as Orleans HUB 2014 Outstanding Citizens and Person of the Year on Feb. 4, 2015 at the Hoag Library in Albion, NY. photos from the HUB; taken by Tom Rivers.



## RABIES IMMUNIZATION CLINICS



**FREE\*\* for all DOGS, CATS and FERRETS**

Sponsored by  
The Orleans County Health Department

LOCATION	DATE	TIME
<b>Town of Shelby Highway Building</b> 4062 Salt Works Road, Medina, NY	<b>March 14, 2015</b>	9-12
<b>County Highway Building</b> 225 West Academy Street, Albion, NY	<b>May 16, 2015</b>	9-12
<b>Town of Shelby Highway Building</b> 4062 Salt Works Road, Medina, NY	<b>August 29, 2015</b>	9-12
<b>County Highway Building</b> 225 West Academy Street, Albion, NY	<b>October 24, 2015</b>	9-12

- ✓ **BRING PROOF** of prior vaccination to receive a 3-year vaccination. [1 year certificate with no proof. Ferrets receive a 1-year certificate only.]
- ✓ Cats and ferrets **MUST BE SAFELY CONTAINED** for their protection. Do NOT carry in your arms without the use of a secure collar and leash.
- ✓ Dogs **MUST BE UNDER THE OWNER'S CONTROL** at all times.
- ✓ You must arrive no later than 11:30 to ensure that you will be served.
- ✓ Clinic staff reserve the right to decline service to late (after 11:30) arrivals.

For more information, call 589-3278 or visit [www.orleansny.com/publichealth](http://www.orleansny.com/publichealth)  
\*\*Donations Welcome

Discover the wellness opportunities while supporting the Orleans Community Health Foundation by joining...



Open House

Tuesday, February 10th, 2015

8:30am to 10am ~ Tillman's Village Inn

Call to Pre-Register by 2/4/15 ~ (585) 798-8061

Enjoy Complimentary Breakfast, Speakers and Networking with local healthcare professionals

Dr. Asif Shah - Cardiology	Various OCH Department Managers
Dr. Ahmet Guler - Cardiology	Community Partners
Office for the Aging	Cancer Services Program
Sleep & Wellness Center	OCH Foundation Members & Staff
Dolores Horvath - OCH CEO	

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You are invited to

## Beat the Winter



Wine and Hours d'oeuvres Meet & Mingle Gathering

To benefit Hospice of Orleans

March 7th

6:00 pm - 9:00 pm



10609 Ridge Road (Route 104), Medina, NY 14103

Improvisational Jazz & Blues

## VALENTINE'S DAY CELEBRATION!

### CLARENDON FIRE DEPARTMENT Steak Dinner

@ Firemen's Recreation Hall  
East Lee Road

(behind the Fire Hall on Rte 31A)

**SATURDAY, FEB. 14, 2015**

Steak or Chicken Dinner

Served w/Baked Potato & Salad

Drink Specials through the evening!

Dinner is Served 5:00 - 8:00 PM

Music by: 87 Southbound

8:30 PM-12:30 AM

\$12 Dinner Only

\$5.00 Cover Charge for *band only*

Take Outs Available 638-6621

No One Under 21 yrs after 8:30 pm

For questions and information, or

To book weddings, banquets and parties

Call 638-6621 and leave a message

## 2015 SERVICE DAYS

<u>MONDAY</u>	<u>TUESDAY</u>	<u>WEDNESDAY</u>	<u>THURSDAY</u>	<u>FRIDAY</u>
Town of Carlton & Yates Village of Lyndonville Village of Albion N. of West Ave. & W. of Main St. South of Canal Not including West Ave. & Main St.	Town of Gaines & Kendall Village of Albion except areas noted on Monday	Town of Ridgeway Village of Medina N. of E. Center St W. Center Street	Town of Shelby Village of Medina South of E. Center St W. Center St. Town of Barre	Town of Murray Village of Holley Town of Clarendon Town of Albion

### RECYCLING

Place all recyclable materials inside the green recycling bins provided by the county. All recyclables can be placed out weekly inside the recycling bin on the same day as trash pickup. Please place recycling bin away from garbage so driver can see it.

### GARBAGE

The equivalent of 6 bags or cans of normal municipal solid waste including garden and yard waste, ashes (cold ashes only), plaster, stones, bricks and building materials.

- Place garbage in 20 or 30-gallon watertight cans with covers and handles, or (3 mil minimum) plastic bags. Do not use shopping bags. Limit of 60 pounds per container. Securely tie bundles of brush and building materials in lengths of no longer than 4 feet and within a 60-pound limit.
- DO NOT INCLUDE: tires, pesticides, oils, solvents, flammable liquids, explosives, animal carcasses, fecal matter, industrial waste, other regulated hazardous waste or building materials left by a contractor.
- **E-WASTE (MICROWAVES, TELEVISIONS, and COMPUTER equipment)** will no longer be picked up. Please take it to the nearest Electronic Recycling facility.

**Genesee County ARC:** 3785 W. Main St. Rd. Batavia, NY; 343-4203  
Tube Televisions and Monitors are accepted at \$0.20 per pound.

Please refer to the NYS DEC website to learn how to dispose of Tube Televisions and Monitors by brand:  
<http://www.dec.ny.gov/chemical/82084.html>

### FOR COLLECTION

Place garbage and recyclables at your roadside, within 5 feet of the road, before 6:00 am on your pickup day. If you have a ditch in front of your property, place garbage and recyclables between the road and the ditch.

- Garbage and recyclables will be collected on the same day in separate trucks, at different times during the day.

### LARGE ITEMS

A large item is any refuse that cannot be placed in cans or bags easily. ONLY **ONE** LARGE ITEM WILL BE PICKED UP EACH WEEK AT THE ROADSIDE. **Refrigerator** doors and shelves must be removed and the customer must call Modern Disposal (# below) on the **FRIDAY** prior to their scheduled pickup day. Large items will be collected on the same day as regular service and placed in the compactor truck. These items shall include, but are not limited to furniture, mattresses and box springs, carpets, appliances, Christmas trees, or carpeting (rolled and tied 4 foot lengths).

### TIPS

Paint Cans- the lid must be off and the cans are to be set next to the trash can so the driver can see that the contents are dry. Clumpable cat litter can be used to dry up any contents prior to disposal.

Cold Ashes- must be cold and contained either in a bag or a cardboard box so the ashes do not go airborne as they are placed in the truck.

Medical Syringes- Medina Memorial Hospital takes them on Saturday mornings. Please do not dispose of these in the regular trash.

### HOLIDAY SCHEDULE

New Year's Day – Memorial Day – Independence Day – Labor Day – Thanksgiving Day – Christmas Day. If your collection day is on or follows any of these holidays during the week, then your collection will be one day late.

### HOW TO GET A RECYCLING BIN

A green recycling bin may be purchased for \$7.00 each from the County Real Property Office in Albion at Courthouse Square. Call (585) 589-5400. If you have built a new home, you are entitled to a free bin. Just present your property tax receipt, showing that the garbage collection fee has been paid, to the Real Property Service Office.


Please call 585-589-7053 with questions. Office hours are 9 a.m. to 5 p.m., Monday through Friday.  
Modern Disposal 1-800-330-7107

# Trash & Recycling Collection

# 2015

 **Week A**  
Recycling

 **Week B**  
Recycling

 **Holiday**—no collection,  
pick up for the rest of week  
will be delayed by one day



## 2015 Holidays

- New Year's Day
- Memorial Day
- Labor Day
- Thanksgiving Day
- Christmas Day

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### Dec 2015

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## CLARENDON CONNECTIONS IN THE MILITARY

Clarendon Residents,

This Military Address Book is for our local service men and women. If you've a loved one serving our country, we'd like to give the community an opportunity to keep them in touch with home by offering addresses for letters and packages. Please forward mailing addresses to the Town Clerk's Office in writing, or by email to [tcctc@rochester.rr.com](mailto:tcctc@rochester.rr.com) with a subject line of "Military Address Book". Addresses will remain posted as submitted, until notice of a change is received.

### U.S. ARMY

#### **Graydon E. Beadle**

Son of Patrice Beadle & James Stymus  
Holley Byron Road, Clarendon  
Graydon has just completed basic training at Ft. Leonard Wood, MO  
Address TBD

### U.S. ARMY

#### **Katie Cobb**

"like a daughter" to  
Rochelle & Dennis Ladd  
Hall Road, Clarendon  
SGT Katherine Cobb  
2845 Wynter Hall Road  
Huntsville, AL 35803

### U.S. ARMY

#### **Matthew Dutton**

Is out of the Army.  
Thank you for your service.

### U.S. ARMY

#### **Erik Gallanger**

Close Friend to Don & Bev Rhoads  
of South Manning Rd., Clarendon  
Erik Gallanger is now serving as a medic  
in Georgie (USA).

### U.S. ARMY

#### **Phillip Maxim**

son of Jan & Beverly Maxim  
Address TBD

### U.S. ARMY

#### **Christopher Oliver**

Son of Roberta & Paul Oliver  
Hindsburg Road, Clarendon  
SSG Christopher Oliver  
85 First Street W  
Ft. Drum, NY 13602

### U.S. ARMY

#### **Nicholas Ornt**

grandson of Al & Shirley Ornt  
Hall Road, Clarendon  
HHC TF 3-66 AR  
FOB Sharana  
APO, AE 09311

### U.S. ARMY

#### **Jennifer Seeman**

Grandaughter of Fred & Carole Seeman  
Of Boots Road,, Clarendon, NY  
Jen is currently in Hawaii

### U.S. ARMY

#### **Margaret Statt**

Daughter of George and Laurie Statt  
Trinity Drive, Clarendon, NY  
SPC Statt, Margaret  
I & S Co. HH Bn 25<sup>th</sup> ID  
Camp Liberty, Iraq  
APO AE 09344

### U.S. ARMY

#### **Carl Seeman**

Grandson of Fred & Carole Seeman of  
Boots Road, Clarendon, NY  
Carl is back in Germany.

### U.S. ARMY

#### **Ricky Seeman**

Grandson of Fred & Carole Seeman of  
Boots Road, Clarendon, NY  
Ricky is currently stationed in Hawaii.

### U.S. ARMY RESERVES

#### **Nathaniel Shaffer**

Son of Charlene Shaffer and Michael Shaffer.  
PVT Nathaniel Shaffer  
Has completed Boot Camp and is reporting to  
the Army Reserve Center, in Chili, NY.

### U.S. COAST GUARD

#### **Matthew Vickers**

son of Dan & Sue Vickers  
Holley Byron Road  
Brother of Dan and Samantha  
Upper Holley Road  
SR Vickers, Matthew D.  
1646 El Prado #2  
Jacksonville, FL 32216

### U.S. MARINES

#### **Jonathon Heale**

Son of John Heale  
So. Manning Rd, Clarendon  
& Ronda Heale of Kendall  
Jonathon D. Heale  
PO Box 1201  
Indian Head, MD 20640

### U.S. MARINES

#### **Justin Pollock**

Son of Wendi Pollock  
South Holley Road, Clarendon  
PFC Justin Pollock  
AMS-1/MAPSC-21  
211 Farrar Road  
Pensacola, FL 32508

### U.S. MARINES

#### **Matthew Wright**

Son of James & Elizabeth Wright  
Holley Byron Road, Clarendon  
PVT Matthew Wright  
Camp Pendleton, CA

### U.S. MARINES

#### **Steven A. Wright**

Son of James & Elizabeth Wright  
Holley Byron Road, Clarendon  
SGT Steven A. Wright  
Camp Lejeune, NC

### U.S. NAVY

#### **Sam Miller**

Son of Frederick & Carmella Miller  
Hall Road, Clarendon, NY  
Address TBD

### U.S. NAVY

#### **Douglas Parker IV**

Grandson of Douglas, Jr. & Kathleen Parker  
of North Manning Road, Clarendon  
Doug is currently at Ft. Meade, MD and  
will be re-stationed in a couple months.

### U.S. NAVY

#### **Chris Rhoads**

Twin grandson of Bev and Don Rhoads  
of South Manning Rd., Clarendon  
Chris (and family) is now stationed on  
Guam as a Navy Submariner.



# TID BITS

Geary (Moose) Shenck

GREETINGS AGAIN to all you faithful readers of whatever I happen to put in the article! It's amazing how fast time goes by as you get older. Seems like I just finished last month's article. Anyway, here we go. The art of being wise is the art of knowing what to overlook. *If people concentrated on the really important things in life, there'd be a shortage of fishing poles.* Attitudes are contagious, are ours worth catching? *The only disability in life is a bad attitude.* Youth is a disease from which we all recover. *Disturbing proof of the strain of modern life as reported by our local pastor: We've become so keyed up and nervous that it is almost impossible to put people to sleep with my sermons. I haven't seen anyone sleeping in church in years and I tell you that's a bad situation.* Any suburban mother can state her role sardonically enough in a sentence. *It is to deliver children – obstetrically once and by car forever after.* "My wife stopped going to the gym two months ago and she's been really cranky ever since" said Tom. "She needs to find something else to occupy her time." "Why did she quit?" I asked. "Well, she had to stop because she broke a toe in one of the classes." "Surely that should be healed by now" I said. "Probably" said Tom. "The problem is that it wasn't her toe."

*The turtle lives between plated decks which practically conceals its sex. I think it's clever of the turtle in such a fix to be so fertile.* Work is the greatest thing in the world so we should always save some of it for tomorrow. *When the winds of change blow, some people build walls and others build windmills.*

Mark Twain said: A classic is a book which people praise and don't read. *A hen is only an egg's way of making another egg.* I am fond of pigs, dogs look up to us. Cats look down on us. Pigs treat us as equals. *You know why fish are so thin? They eat fish.* The difference between death and taxes is that death does not get worse every time congress meets. *I bought one of our grandchildren a set of batteries for Christmas with a note on it saying, "Toy not included."* There was a guy who installed a skylight in his apartment. The people who live above him are furious. *Then there was the guy who said he needed more space so his wife locked him outside.* Why do they say something's new and improved? Which is it? If it's new, then there has never been anything before it. If it's an improvement then there must have been something before it! *It's not the cough that carries you off; it's the coffin they carry you off in.* Why do some people say, "You can't have your cake and eat it too?" What's the point of a cake you can't eat? *When you're waiting for the bus, why does someone ask, "Has the bus come yet?" If the bus had come, I wouldn't be standing here.* Some more crazy stuff old guys say: The plan is simple son just like you, but unlike you, the plan might work. *Don't shake your head like there's nothing in it.* You're not sure whether to wear the blue shirt or the black shirt. Try to imagine how little I care. *Son, are you taking part in some experiment to determine whether humans can function without a brain?* So you think you'd like to sail around the world? You just keep thinking son. It's what you're good at. *"You're worried about identity fraud? Get real son, who the heck would want to steal your identity? That wino who sleeps rough and talks to the pigeons in the park wouldn't want to swap places with you."*

The difference between divorce and legal separation is that a legal separation gives a husband time to hide his money. *If you never want to see a man again, say "I love you, I want to marry you, and I want to have your children."* Sometimes they leave skid marks! In life it's not who you know that's important, it's how your wife found out.

## THIS MONTH'S RIDDLES

1. How do dogs get rid of dog pounds?
2. Where do young dogs sleep when they camp out?
3. What famous musical composer invented the meal you take on picnics?
4. Why did the bird have so much energy?
5. Why did they say the comedian was a surgeon?

*"What do you do for a living?" asked the judge. "I'm an orderly at the hospital" lied the prisoner. "Thirty days for pan-handling." said the judge.* A ten year old boy asked to write a school paper on "care of your teeth" came up with these three basic rules: 1. See your dentist at regular intervals; 2. Brush your teeth after every meal; 3. Watch out for pushers at the drinking fountain. *A known bad check passer suffered his greatest indignity recently. He received a call from the Red*

*Cross blood bank. It seems his blood bounced.* A young novelist began his speech at a book and author luncheon by quoting from a letter he had recently received. You are the finest young writer in America today. You combine the skills of O'Hara, Faulkner, Hemingway and Michener. Furthermore, you are the handsomest man I've ever encountered." The audience was obviously taken aback by the young novelists conceit until he added, "Incidentally, the letter is signed, Mother." *Two old friends talking. One said "We had quite an evening yesterday remembering old times. How did you sleep last night?" "Like a log" said his buddy. "I must have. I woke up in the fireplace."* This letter is framed and hung on the wall behind the desk of Herbert Mayes of McCalls. "Sir, my wife was about to divorce me until she read your touching article about the evils of a broken home. Now she says she is going to stick to me through thick and thin. Please cancel my subscription."

*A female gangster saw a handsome man and wanted to know who he was. Although she asked everyone, no one knew his name so she shot him. The next day she read the papers and found out who he was.* Two guys met. Tom said, "Yesterday I took a girl to tea, I paid for that. Then I took her to the movies, I paid for that. Then I took her to dinner, I paid for that. Then I took her to a night club and I paid for that. Do you think I should have kissed her good night?" "No" said Greg, "I think you did enough for her." *Then there was the guy who said, "To heck with marrying a girl who makes biscuits like her mother. I want to marry one who makes dough like her father."* Our government will never be overthrown. There's far too much of it.

*Jean E. Moore wrote the following:*

When the rush of life oer takes me  
and my soul for quiet seeks  
When my mind is full of pressures  
that pursue me through the week.  
I have a little haven where  
I find my heart's content  
and the quiet that surrounds me there  
is truly Heaven sent.  
For we all need times of stillness  
to relax and just unwind  
and let go of small resentments  
that clutter up our minds.  
So I seek the soothing quiet  
to my haven safe I trod  
and alone there in the silence  
I feel very close to God.

*Well, that's it 'til next time. Have a great month.*

*Adios and God Bless,  
Geary (Moose) Shenck*



# CLARENDON TOWN BOARD MEETING HIGHLIGHTS

## JANUARY 2015

As part of his masters degree at SUNY College of Environmental Science and Forestry, Greg Selke, highlighted the Climate Action Plan adopted by the Town Board in its plan to do its best to reduce carbon omissions over decades. A Climate Action Plan is a blueprint for the future, designed to assist local governments in identifying emissions reductions projects and policies to implement their own climate and air pollution reduction goals. Greg summarized concerns in energy security and costs. Total annual energy expenditures at town hall and highway garage, excluding vehicle gasoline, totaled \$24,413.03. The Climate Action Plan deals with direct and indirect emissions; vehicles, fuel oil/heating and electricity consumption. The carbon emissions were presented using 2013 figures; Town Hall contributes 14% of municipal emissions and the Highway Garage contributes 39% with the vehicles contributing 40% of the municipal emissions. Other municipal energy usage included the town park electricity, streetlights and holiday lights, contributing 7% of emissions. Solutions already implemented and/or intended include new windows in the town hall, low voltage lighting in town buildings, insulation in attic of town hall, CFL light bulbs on outdoor lights, more efficient heating at the town hall. Mr. Selke summarized that as every 10% reduction in fuel usage would decrease the vehicles 2013 carbon footprint by 4%, giving the simplest option would be to purchase more efficient vehicles. Suggestions for the highway building included infrared personal heaters to reduce total energy consumption and switching from fuel oil to natural gas heating, which would reduce emissions by 13%. It was confirmed that Clarendon presently does not have a natural gas line running through it, but Supervisor Moy has been trying to make that happen for years. Mr. Selke informed that there would be a 21% reduction if the town was to switch to solar power; that there are grants and subsidized fixed loans available for this type of project. Suggestions for community initiatives were reviewed;

composting, reducing consumption habits and how to “green” your home.

### HIGHWAY/WATER DEPARTMENT REPORT

Larry Swanger, Superintendent

Superintendent Swanger reported that the crew has been plowing a lot. Water readings were done and bills should go out shortly. Superintendent Swanger reported fixing a leak in the waterline on Route 31A by the old pump stations in the subzero weather. The quote for a 2014 John Deere for Hillside Cemetery was presented. Trading in the current machine (a 2013) used for one season with 660 hours on it, cost of the new one is \$1317.98. Town Board approved the purchase. Superintendent Swanger suggested the Board talk about replacing the 2000 Sterling as it’s ‘getting tired’.

### PLANNING BOARD REPORT

David Griggs, Chairman

#### Regular Meeting December 23, 2014

- Meeting cancelled due to insufficient agenda items

#### Regular meeting January 13, 2015

- The Planning Board held a pre-conference for a one (1) lot Subdivision, SD 14-17, Geary Shenck, 15901 East Lee Road, Tax id# 97.-2-2.111, parent lot. No issues noted with proposal. Applicant was informed that they could waive the pre-conference and proceed to the formal application if they desired. Applicant indicated they so desired. A motion was made, seconded and approved to approve the one (1) lot Subdivision contingent on verification by the OIO that the pins had been set, creation of a new deed for the subdivided lot and filing with the County.
- The Planning Board held a pre-conference for a one (1) lot Subdivision, SD 15-01, Glenn Maxon, 4084 Fancher Road, Tax id# 86.-3-10.1, parent lot. No issues noted with proposal. Applicant was

informed that they could waive the pre-conference and proceed to the formal application if they desired. Applicant indicated they so desired. A motion was made, seconded and approved to approve the one (1) lot Subdivision contingent on verification by the OIO that the pins had been set, creation of a new deed for the subdivided lot and filing with the County.

- Renewal, SP 91-016, Roy Kenyon, New Guinea Road, “Hard times Gravel”. Chairman Griggs informs the board that the fee has been paid, inspection is done and there are no complaints received. A motion was made, seconded and approved to approve renewal of Special Use Permit.

### SUPERVISOR REPORT

Richard Moy, Supervisor

Supervisor Moy scheduled a workshop meeting for the Employee Handbook Committee to be held February 5, 2015 at 10:00 AM. It was reported that a conference call will be held with Attorney Essler regarding items in the Monroe County Water Authority Contract on January 22, 2015 at 10:00 AM. After needed changes in the agreement, the Board will meet with the MCWA. Supervisor reported that the Orleans County Nursing home was purchased by Comprehensive Health Care out of Brooklyn, NY. They own many nursing homes and the transition is going smoothly.

### CORRESPONDENCE

The NYS Department of Public Service has sent a schedule of informational sessions and public statement hearings regarding an energy modernization initiative to transform the way electricity is distributed and used in New York State.

The Monroe County Water Authority has sent notice of an increase in water rates for wholesale out-of-county water districts effective January 1, 2015. The Town Board passed a motion to increase Clarendon water rates to \$3.15/1000 gallons,

effective January 2015 usage which will be billed in April.

Supervisor Moy sent an email to The Association of Towns regarding the effect that Capital Projects have regarding the tax cap formula; they are looking to have that removed from the formula.

The Town has received a copy of the mining permit issued by NYSDEC to WARCO Equipment Gravel Pit on New Guinea Road in Clarendon.

Revenues have been received from NYSDOT for CHIPS funding - \$118,396.29; Orleans County Treasurer for Mortgage Tax - \$15,725.35.

**OLD BUSINESS**

We are still waiting on approval from the NYS Comptroller's Office for Water Improvement Benefit Area No. 11 project.

**NEW BUSINESS**

The Town Board made the following appointments to the Zoning Board of Appeals for the year 2015: Arthur Kaminski, Chairman; Sheron Pedley, Deputy Chairman; Robert Clarke, Alternate Member. Because elections fall on November 2<sup>nd</sup> this year, the special meeting scheduled for November to authorize reassessed charges was changed to November 4, 2015 at 9:00 AM.

**What Can I Recycle?**

No Sorting Necessary

**Paper**

 <b>Paperboard</b>	 <b>Office Paper &amp; Junk Mail</b> Envelopes, Flyers, Brochures, Postcards, etc.	 <b>Newspaper</b> Remove bags, strings & rubber bands	 <b>Phone Books</b> All types & sizes
 <b>Magazines &amp; Catalogs</b> All types & sizes	 <b>Food &amp; Beverage Containers</b> Empty containers only	 <b>Cardboard, Pizza Boxes &amp; Paper Bags</b> Flatten cardboard & cut into pieces. Remove wax paper from pizza boxes	

**Unacceptable Items**

-  **No Plastic Bags, Plastic Film or Plastic Wrap**
-  **No Yard Waste or Wood**
-  **No Aerosol Cans or Chemicals**  
Safety Hazard

**Plastic**

 <b>Plastic Jugs/Bottles/Household Plastic</b> Empty containers only	 <b>Rigid Plastic</b> Place large items next to Recycling containers
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- No**
- Batteries
  - Blow Up Pools
  - Chemicals (dry or liquid)
  - Clothing or Rags
  - Concrete
  - Dishes or Ceramics
  - Electrical Cords
  - Electronics
  - Flammable Liquids
  - Garbage or Trash
  - Garden Hoses
  - Items with Gasoline (Lawn Equipment)
  - Grass
  - Household Cleaners
  - Light Bulbs
  - Medical Waste/Syringes
  - Paint Cans
  - Plastic Bags
  - Plastic Film or Plastic Wrap
  - Plate Glass or Mirrors
  - Pool Liners/Tarps/Covers
  - Propane Tanks
  - Styrofoam Containers/Packing
  - Wood Items
  - Yard Waste

**Metal**

 <b>Aluminum Cans</b> Empty cans only	 <b>Kitchen Cookware</b> Metal pots, pans, tins & utensils	 <b>Steel &amp; Tin Cans</b> Empty cans only
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3. Batch! He invented the Bachs Lunch.
4. It was standing on the power line.
5. Because he always left his audience in stitches.

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2015 - 3<sup>rd</sup> Tuesday each month - at 7:00PM at the Town Hall, 16385 Church St., Clarendon  
*Excepting* for August which will be held at the Historical Society Museum Barn, 16426  
Fourth Section Road, Clarendon; *and* A Special Meeting will be held November 4, 2015 at  
9:00 am at the Town Hall to authorize Reassessed Water and Mowing Charges for 2016 tax  
bills.

Planning Board	2nd & 4th Tuesday	7:00 pm
Zoning Board of Appeals	1st Tuesday (as needed)	7:00 pm
Clarendon Historical Society	3rd Wednesday	7:00 pm
Court	Every Monday	7:00 pm
District Attorney Night	2nd Monday	5:00 pm

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