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# Highland FD considers 'Bunk-in' program for recruits

By ELLA CONNORS

Commissioners of the Highland Fire District, concerned about a potential shortage of first responders in the near future, are considering an option that's catching on elsewhere: free room and board for college students who join the fire department.

Known as the bunk-in program, it is becoming popular throughout the state.

The program, according to the New York State Conference of Mayors, has been around since the mid-1990s. In Onondaga County, where the local

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# Marlborough community center is officially open

By ROB SAMPLE

In a ceremony marked by the well-wishes of elected state officials, the Town of Marlborough cut the ribbon on its reborn Community Center on Wednesday afternoon, June 12.

Town Supervisor Scott Corcoran noted that the ribbon cutting marked the culmination of a 16-year process, which began when the Town of Marlborough Volunteer Ambulance Corps (TOMVAC) ceased operations in 2008 and donated its headquarters to the town for a dollar. While town leaders initially debated its use, a townwide referendum determined, by a 60 to 40 vote, its future as the Marlborough Community Center.

"A lot of people in our community participated in building this facility,"

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### Father's Day at the fair



One lucky child anxiously awaits the bouncy house, Sunday, at the Saint Augustine Fair and Food Truck Festival. Additional photos on are on page 30.

# Pascale chosen as Republican candidate for Marlborough Town Justice

By ROB SAMPLE

Justin Pascale was chosen to be the Republican nominee for Town Justice, in a vote that took place at the Town of Marlborough Republican Committee's 2024 caucus in which he edged out fellow GOPer Michael Kraiza. The event took place at Marlboro Middle School last week and drew several hundred attendees.

The town justice position being

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### **PUBLIC AGENDA**

THURSDAY, JUNE 20
WHAT: Llovd Planning Board

**WHEN**: 5:30pm

**WHERE**: Lloyd Town Hall 12 Church St., Highland

WHAT: Marlboro School Board

WHEN: 7pm

**WHERE**: Marlboro Elementary 1380 Rte 9W. Marlboro

MONDAY, JUNE 24

WHAT: Marlborough Town Board

WHEN: 7pm

**WHERE**: Marlborough Town Hall 21 Milton Tnpk. Milton

TUESDAY, JUNE 26

WHAT: Lloyd Town Board

WHEN: 7pm

**WHERE**: Lloyd Town Hall 12 Church St, Highland

THURSDAY, JUNE 27

WHAT: Lloyd Planning Board

WHEN: 7pm

**WHERE**: Lloyd Town Hall 12 Church St., Highland

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community college offers an associate degree program in Fire Protection Technology, students are eligible to apply for internships as bunk-ins with local host fire departments.

Being a bunk-in provides a unique community-service opportunity to serve as a volunteer firefighter. In return, the fire department provides living accommodations. Bunk-ins live at the firehouse, attend classes and respond to emergency calls with the host fire department. The fire department gains volunteers who are active and involved and can be available at times when other volunteers cannot, such as daytime and heavy commuting hours. The man hours they provide are invaluable to volunteer organizations. This program affords the students real-time application of the things that they are learning in the classroom. They handle the equipment, maintain apparatus, interact with the community, work as a team with department members, follow the rules and regulations, and respond to calls.

But critics say the program moves the volunteer fire department one step closer to a paid service, and that has some residents concerned. An unveiling of the program was met with a mix of support and criticism from Highland residents, last week at the Tuesday night fire district meeting in Highland.

Kevin Rizzo, a member of the Bunk-In committee and a commissioner for the fire district, gave the presentation detailing the program, answering some questions and providing an overview for those attending the meeting. As a committee, now made up of five people. they traveled to four departments in western New York with bunkin programs — Solvay Fire, Myers Corners, Elsmere and Favetteville, The trip allowed them to decide what aspects of their arrangements they believed would work for their own department, as well as what they thought would not fit their needs.

"You're increasing our service, the service that we provide to the community," Rizzo said. "It is just one



Fire Department interns could find overnight accommodations at the station.

tier of a multi-approached attack to recruit members, to retain members, to attract new members and to keep the volunteer fire service alive."

The Highland department is increasingly getting older, Rizzo said. Most of their members are in the 30-40 age range, but inactive members fall primarily between 21 and 39. He said that this means that although their department is healthy now, it could be in trouble in the future, pushing forth their need to expand recruitment and retention programs.

Each of the four departments they visited had different programs — the only similarity between them all was that they had a specific place for the bunk-in to lodge. Solvay Fire and Myers Corners provided more of a base model for Highland, with Rizzo adding that their version of the bunk-in program would be highly structured.

Hailing it as a "symbiotic relationship between the fire district and student," Rizzo emphasized that the program would provide local college students with a place to stay in exchange for their services to the fire district. They would commute between the district and their college.

"A bunk-in program is just one of many ways to diversify participation," Rizzo said.

Investments should be minimal after the initial payments for the necessary renovations, Rizzo added. They would have to discuss the cost for living renovations and convert the work-out space into a bunk room. A refrigerator, washing machine and dryer would also have to be installed for those living there.

Chairman Steve DiLorenzo said that due to the program's innovative quality, he cannot be certain as to what its impact would be just yet. There would be some modifications made, as the idea is still not fully fleshed out.

"Obviously it is something very brand new," DiLorenzo said. "It is brand new to our county and our whole area. There are no other bunk-in programs around that we are aware of. It is promising if it all comes together."

Many members of the local community expressed their displeasure with the potential program, for a few different reasons, including what they view as a lack of alternative efforts to promote recruitment that do not require money to be invested into a completely new program.

Town of Lloyd councilman John Fraino questioned how much time it would take for new recruits to actually become active members, especially if they do not have any prior training. The consensus was that it would take a few months if a recruit was joining without any experience.

Robert L. Pardy, a past commissioner for the department, also emphasized a lack of transparency between the fire district and the community, as well as insufficient diversity overall in the department, saying that they do not have any minority representation among members and only one female.

"These guys are in crisis, and I give them credit, at least they understand they are in crisis," Pardy said. "But they are in crisis because of the culture they have here."

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said Corcoran. "Without them it wouldn't have happened. Our town Highway Department probably saved you, the taxpayers, \$300,000 to \$500,000 through the work they did. They do it because they love our community. Give these guys a round of applause."

State Assemblyman Jonathan Jacobson pointed out that in addition to being the result of funding from a variety of government sources, the project represented the power of bipartisan cooperation. "You had two different administrations [in Marlborough] a Democrat and a Republican," said Jacobson, who presented Corcoran with a state Certificate of Merit to mark the occasion. "But it didn't make any difference. They got the job done. That shows what kind of town Marlborough is. This is a great occasion. I'm looking forward to coming to a lot of events here, and I am sure it's going to get a lot of use."

"You can tell that this building was put together with love, so to everyone who had a hand in it, every family member of everyone who had a hand in it, thank you," said State Senator Michelle Hinchey, who also presented Corcoran with a certificate to mark the occasion. "Every community needs a central hub where people can come together - for the seniors' groups, the Boy Scouts troops, whatever it might be, this is what makes our small towns so special. Seeing everyone come together over the many years to get this done is a really inspiring, beautiful thing. Thank you for your commitment to your work, to your town, and to your neighbors."

Ulster County Executive Jen Metzger was unable to attend the ribbon cutting and was represented by her Chief of Staff, Johanna Contreras. "I want to congratulate you all for a job well done," said Contreras. "It really is a beautiful Community Center and I understand it's been a long time coming. I look forward to being part of many events here in the future. I understand it's going to be the hub of the senior citizens group: We've spoken



Town of Marlborough photo

Local officials gathered last week at the Town of Marlborough Community Center for the official ribbon cutting.

to our director of aging, and we really hope to be able to bring some events here for you all. So, thank you and congratulations."

Quite a few of the attendees at the ceremony were residents who had fond memories of the building's service to the town's ambulance corps during the 40 years it was in existence. In fact, both residents and elected officials often, by habit, refer to the structure as the "TOMVAC building," employing a long-used acronym for Town of Marlborough Volunteer Ambulance Corps.

Local accountant Ralph Walters helped to launch the organization in 1968, when he first returned home after college. "Milo Hepworth [a local farmer and landowner] had left the town \$4,000 on the condition that it start a volunteer ambulance company," Walters recalled. "We then formed a large enough group to form the corps. I went on my first ambulance call in 1969."

"Our first ambulance was parked in the driveway of my parents, Thomas and Bernadette Polizzi," recalled Mici Simonofsky, a former Town Board member who now chairs the town's Conservation Advisory Committee (CAC). "I was on the Town Board when we had to make the difficult decision on what to do with the Volunteer Ambulance Corps and the TOMVAC building."

Simonofsky pointed out that the numbers of volunteers had dwindled in the later years, particularly during nights and weekends when it received most of its calls. As a result, the town began hiring paid ambulance services to fill in the gaps in coverage. There were also changes in insurance mandates and certification requirements that made it difficult for the organization to remain in operation.

Once TOMVAC was disbanded, both Simonofsky and Walters were active in the petition drive to get a referendum on the local ballot, in which Marlborough



voters favored turning the TOMVAC building into the town's Community Center.

"The people of Marlborough decided to keep the building because it had good bones," noted former Town Supervisor Al Lanzetta. Scott's done a wonderful job – this place looks beautiful!"

### How to Rent a Room

The Community Center has two large meeting rooms – a North Room and a South Room. The first is 3,250 square feet in size, has an adjacent kitchen, and has the capacity for 215 people seated at tables (or 400 people in just chairs). The South Room seats 155 people at tables, or 280 people in just chairs. The kitchen is available only for those who use the North Room; the South Room is equipped with a dry bar.

The resident rate for rentals is \$650 for either room. Both smoking and alcohol consumption are prohibited. Both rooms are ADA (Americans with Disabilities Act) accessible, and audiovisual hookups are available in both rooms. The exterior can be used for recreational activities such as cornhole and frisbee. Go to the Town website or contact (845) 332-4270 for more details.

### In Brief

# Man faces drug charges after collision with police car

On June 11, at approximately 12:14 p.m., members of the Troop F Community Stabilization Unit (CSU) attempted to stop a 2017 Honda Civic traveling south on Route 9W in the town of Lloyd. The operator of the vehicle, later identified as Christopher Melvin, age 33, from Poughkeepsie, failed to stop. Troopers pursued the vehicle for approximately 13 miles before the pursuit was terminated by State Police.

The vehicle collided with a Town of Marlborough Police vehicle on 9W in the town of Newburgh, causing the Civic to become inoperable. Melvin opened the door of the vehicle to flee on foot. In doing so he damaged a Town of Newburgh Police vehicle. He was taken into custody after a short foot pursuit. Melvin was found to be in possession of fentanyl, amphetamines, and crack-cocaine.

Melvin was arrested with the following charges: Tampering With Physical Evidence-felony

Criminal Possession of a Controlled Substance 4th degree – felony

Criminal Possession of a Controlled Substance 3rd degree- Intent to Sell – felony

Criminal Possession of a Controlled Substance- 3rd degree previous conviction – felony

Criminal Possession of a Controlled Substance 2nd degree – felony

### Middle Hope shooting



Bob McCormick

Town of Newburgh Police responded to the parking lot of the One Family Deli Tuesday, in Middle Hope for a reported drive-by shooting. The investigation is ongoing. Obstructing Governmental Administration – misdemeanor

Resisting Arrest- misdemeanor

Reckless Endangerment 2nd degree- misdemeanor Melvin was arraigned in the Town of Plattekill Court and then remanded to the Ulster County Jail on \$100,000 cash bail, \$200,000 bond, \$400,000 partial bond

# Former Wallkill firefighter sentenced for arson crime

Robert Cromie, 56, of Wallkill, was sentenced in Ulster County Court to 1.25 to five years in State Prison by County Court Judge James Farrell. Cromie was convicted of Arson in the Third Degree, a Class C Felony, on March 7, 2024. Cromie was a member of the Wallkill Fire Department at the time he committed the crime.

Cromie intentionally started a fire on December 7, 2021 inside a garage attached to his apartment located at 18 Bona Venture Avenue in the Town of Shawangunk. The ensuing fire consumed the entire apartment. Although no one was injured, the defendant ended up carrying his wife, who was sleeping at the time, out of the apartment after starting the fire.

The case was investigated by the Ulster County Sheriff's Office with the assistance of the Ulster County Department of Emergency Services. "I want to stress that arson is treated as a serious crime, especially when committed by firefighters who are entrusted with protecting our community. It's unacceptable to put our public and those that protect our public at risk through such reckless acts," said Ulster County Director of Emergency Services Everett Erichsen. "I commend the District Attornev's Office for taking this case seriously, sending a clear message that such actions will face consequences. Furthermore, I applaud the collaborative efforts of our County Fire Investigation Unit and the Ulster County Sheriff's Office for their dedicated work in investigating this case. Their partnership underscores our commitment to ensuring public safety and holding perpetrators accountable."

"Arson is a grave offense, particularly when perpetrated by firefighters entrusted with safeguarding our community. It is intolerable to endanger both the public and those sworn to protect them through such reckless acts," emphasized Sheriff Juan Figueroa. "I commend the

District Attorney's Office for its earnest pursuit of justice in this matter, sending a resolute message that such crime will be met with consequences. Additionally, I extend my appreciation to the collaborative endeavors of our County Fire Investigation Unit and the Ulster County Sheriff's Office for their unwavering commitment investigating crimes of this nature. Their coordinated efforts underscore our dedication to upholding public safety and ensuring that wrongdoers are held accountable."

"Our public officials who are duty-bound to protect the public from emergencies including fire, like this defendant, must be held accountable when they betray the trust of the community, in addition to facing the consequences of their criminal acts," said Ulster County District Attorney Emmanuel C. Nneji. "I commend the collaborative effort undertaken by our law enforcement and first responders to support a successful prosecution in this case, and hope public officials are on notice that they must be held to the highest standard."

This case was prosecuted by General Felonies Bureau Chief Robert Knapp. Robert Cromie was represented by the Ulster County Public Defender's Office.

### POLICE BLOTTER

### Town of Lloyd Police

-Llewellen L. Woodburn, 30, of Poughkeepsie was arrested June 11th and charged with felony Aggravated Unlicensed Operation 1st degree and Driving While Intoxicated after the vehicle he was operating was stopped for traffic violations on Rt. 9w in Highland. Woodburn was released on an appearance ticket and is due in the Town of Lloyd Court on June 27, 2024.

-Aidan M. Stroud, 24, of Newburgh was arrested June 15th and charged with Driving While Intoxicated after the vehicle he was operating was stopped for traffic violations on Rt. 9W in Highland. Stoud was released on an appearance ticket and is due in the Town of Loyd Court on July 2, 2024.

-Anali I Chennapragada, 23, of Bridgewater, NJ was arrested June 16th and charged with Driving While Intoxicated after the vehicle she was operating was stopped for traffic violations on Rt. 44/55 in Highland. She was released on an appearance ticket and is due in the Town of Lloyd Court July 2, 2024.

-Donald G. Lane, 55, was arrested June 6 on a Columbia County Family Court arrest warrant. He was turned over turned over to the Columbia County Sheriffs Dept on the warrant.

## Pascale chosen as Republican candidate for Marlborough Town Justice

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vacated by Dan Jackson is the only open position in the town thus far and was the only one for which the Republican caucus held a nominating vote. However, in addition to remarks from candidates Pascale and Kraiza, attendees heard from Allison Esposito, who is running on the Republican ticket to represent New York's 18th congressional district in the U.S. House of Representatives. That seat is currently held by Congressman Pat Ryan, the Gardiner Democrat elected in 2022.

Pascale is a lifelong Marlboro resident and has been a registered Republican since age 18. His grandmother, Daisy Pascale, was the Town of Marlborough's first female police officer. In addition, Pascale's father, Michael, previously served as a Town Justice as well.

Pascale's service to the town began in 1997, when he joined the town's Volunteer Ambulance Corps. Shortly thereafter, he was hired as a dispatcher for the Marlborough Police. He later rose through the ranks to become a police sergeant and also served with the Ulster County Crisis Intervention Team. He retired from fulltime service with the Marlborough Police in February, 2023 and has served as a part-time school resource officer (SRO) since that time.

Candidates for Town Justice aren't obligated to secure political endorsements. At the Republican caucus meeting, Pascale noted that his own beliefs and values align with the Republican Party. Nonetheless, earlier this year Pascale sought a cross-party endorsement from the Democratic Party for his bid to become the Town Justice. He later circulated a petition and garnered more than the target number of signatories required to secure the Democratic line.

"A judge should be concerned with the facts of the matter, not political affiliations," said Pascale, "in the same fashion that baseball umpires should not be concerned with the views nor the opinions of the players but should call balls and strikes as they see them... The town justice represents everyone in this town despite party affiliation or race, creed, gender, and beliefs – hence, the notion that justice is blind."

Pascale said that serving the town for almost three decades has given him a good sense of the pulse of the community. He also said he takes pride in aiming to solve problems, to engage with everyone, and to strike compromises whenever possible.

"I'm guided by integrity good principles, fairness and common sense," said Pascale. "My goal is to be firm, fair and empathetic."

Esposito announced her bid to challenge Ryan for the 18th district congressional seat last October, and this winter earned the endorsements of the Republican committees for Dutchess, Orange, and Ulster Counties. The district encompasses all of Orange, and most of Dutchess and Ulster.

Esposito is a native of Monroe and a 25-year veteran of the New York City Police Department. She said her work and that of her fellow officers had become increasingly dangerous, leading many to fear job loss just for doing the job society demanded of them.

"The world we knew had turned upside down," Esposito recalled. "We were told that everything we know to be good is actually bad is not only good but somehow virtuous... I took a look at the seat I was sitting in and the hat I was wearing and I realized I had to do more to effect the change that New York so desperately needs."

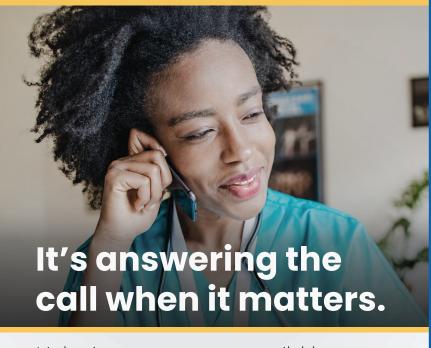
She first ran as then-Congressman Lee Zeldin's running mate in the 2022 gubernatorial campaign. While the pair lost that election, it was close, Esposito pointed out – and Ryan's margin of victory was slim. That puts the 18th district into play, she said.

Esposito strongly emphasized her law-enforcement background in her remarks. She recalled an incident when while on patrol she was hit with a kitchen cabinet that had been tossed off a rooftop, and another where she had to take scissors to a colleague's pants leg – which was burning because of an incendiary device that had been thrown at him.

Esposito urged everyone to vote in November. "Voting is not a right," she

proclaimed. "It is a responsibility and an obligation."

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# Lloyd Civilian Police Academy returns

By MARK REYNOLDS mreynolds@tcnewsppers.com

After a five-year hiatus, in part due to the Covid 19 pandemic, the Town of Lloyd Police Department is again sponsoring a Civilian Police Academy, which is being held on Wednesday evenings from 6 to 9 p.m. at the Highland Fire House and will run through July 3.

The academy gives residents an insight into what the police force does and how they approach their jobs. The six-week course covers a wide variety of topics in depth: a history of the Lloyd Police department; a tour of the police station and their equipment;

community policies and traffic is." stops; Reality Based Training [RBT] scenarios; Presentation of a Mock DWI Accident; Bail Reform/Discovery and Court Protocols and Domestic Violence: Civilian Response to Active Shooter incidents with an emphasis on how to help protect oneself and how to assist Law Enforcement; and a graduation at the end of the program.

Police Chief James Janso said, "the goal of the Academy is to show our community what police do by giving them a first-hand experience of our station, our equipment, why we do certain things on car stops, why we carry equipment and what the purpose

Janso said the Academy means to "pull back the curtain" on Law Enforcement.

"They get to see who we are and they take away from it a whole new perspective on Law Enforcement and it shows honestly that we are people first and they understand who we are and what our job entails," he said.

Janso said each week there are new class activities that are, "eve opening for people because they get to actually see and be like a police officer. They walk away with a little more respect and understanding of our job and that's our goal. I want the community to know who we are and what we do."

Janso said they will show the participants a few "live" scenarios where an officer, "in a split second must make a decision on what we see. what we perceive and how we are going to react to an issue, where months or weeks later they can be challenged by judges, lawyers or people where it's not that easy to be a Monday night quarterback if they're watching or doing what we do to still see it."

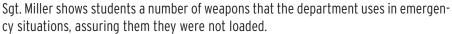
Janso said people were "amazed" when New York State came to review their departments policies.

"We in our department were exceptional; we were ahead of a



Sqt. Chris Miller and Lt. Phil Roloson passed around several protective vests that officers wear in emergency situations. People were surprised at the weight of the vests.







Sgt. Miller demonstrates the life-saving technique of using a tourniquet on someone hit in an extremity, with assistance from Sgt. Mike Roberto.

lot of agencies in our training, our equipment and it reiterated that we are a good police department," he said. "We're always looking forward, you have to, and need to know the laws, the equipment and the technologies that are always changing and you have to progress with it; you have to keep up, you can't catch up."

Chief Janso said the Academy is a good experience for those in attendance as well as for his department, "to interact with the students and for them to interact with us and the best part is the question and answer periods and it is well worth the time we put into it."

For more information on joining the Academy, call Chief Janso or Lt. Roloson at the Lloyd Police station at 845-691-6102.



Lt. Roloson pushes Sgt. Miller to demonstrate a particular stance that officers use to maintain their balance in confrontational situations.

# **Opinion**

# What comes after the congestion pricing reversal?

ov. Kathy Hochul's abrupt reversal of New York City's congestion pricing plan has sent ripple effects throughout the region and the state and raised eyebrows among the students of mass transit in other cities across the country.

While the plan itself had come under fire, especially from upstate commuters, the move to abandon a plan that was decades in the making jolted lawmakers, real estate leaders, transit advocates and other stakeholders. Instead, the Governor announced an indefinite pause on congestion pricing on cars entering Manhattan below and including 60th Street.

The plan was approved in March. The decision to pause was announced just weeks before the plan was expected to go into effect, and all of the tolling equipment was already in place.

The governor said she was reluctant to deter people from driving to New York City when its economic recovery was still fragile. Her critics suggested it an election year ploy to help Democrats in suburban districts where congestion pricing is notably unpopular.

The Metropolitan Transportation Authority, tasked with raising revenue and relieving potential gridlock, now finds itself without the \$15 billion earmarked as funding from the congestion pricing program. It had plans to use that revenue for assorted capital projects, some of which had been years in the planning. Help from Albany is not on the way, however, since the legislature has recessed for the summer.

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### This city needs an enema

**LETTERS** 

The chaos in the City of Newburgh continues, with this latest cyberattack demonstrating that this dysfunction will continue because of inept city leadership. So, while the city's technical infrastructure was being breached in a massive cyberattack, where was our fearless City Manager Todd Venning?

Orlando. That's right, he was schmoozing and gladhanding in the Sunshine State.

Todd was too busy to address the meltdown of Newburgh's tech infrastructure because he was attending the 118th Annual Conference of the Government Finance Officers Association. Ironically, Todd was on this boondoggle to accept an award for his management of City Hall – an institution that is currently unable to perform basic municipal duties. The City of Newburgh paid for airfare, accommodations and expenses for multiple city staffers to attend the conference and receive a practically empty award, all for the self-preservation of the ego of our city manager.

So, let me get this straight: The city recently spent more than \$37K to send executive staff and Council members to an off-site retreat – yet another boondoggle for which the public has yet to see any download or debrief. We have no indication that our so-called leaders learned anything at all during their expensive weekend getaway. And now, we're spending even more money to send crucial members of our executive staff to pick up an award. While Todd is partying, Newburgh is paralyzed.

At the time of this writing (Friday, June 14), four days have passed since the initial cyberattack and we know virtually nothing. No extensive details have been released by the city, which makes an ironic mockery of the "transparency" award that Todd was picking up in Orlando while this happened. Orange County and Executive Steve Neuhaus have been more transparent about this incident than the City of Newburgh!

That's the most frustrating part of this whole incident. While cyberattacks happen with unfortunate regularity, Newburgh City Hall's abject lack of communication and transparency with the public is

appalling. Having more insight into what's happening would go miles towards securing residents' trust in city operations.

Seems Todd Venning was too busy jet-setting to get this memo – which is unfortunate, because despite the performative, vacuous gesture of accepting an award that recognizes transparency, our City Manager has led an unprecedented lockdown of civic discourse and information-sharing.

The time is now! This city needs an enema. Let's flush out City Hall – starting at the top. We need a fresh start. Clear out the executive office, remove the egomaniac of a mayor as well as the completely useless and feckless City Council. This catastrophic failure of leadership should be a catalyst to major change: Newburgh residents need to unite and demand reforms that will create lasting change once and for all.

HAEL STEWART-FISHER

Newburgh

### Save the NY HEAT Act bill

It was a sad week for supporting green energy and reducing our carbon footprint when the NY HEAT Act was left to wither by the roadside in the Assembly by Assembly leader Carl Heastie and Governor Hochul despite a vigorous, long campaign by the bill's advocates.

NY HEAT or the NY Home Energy Transition Act would provide affordable heating and cooling and help consumers make the transition off dangerous and expensive fossil fuels. If you've considered changing to a heat pump,you will find it a more costly choice initially. This bill offers tax breaks to lessen those costs and would also cap everyone's utility bills at 6% of their income.

The good news is that there may be a special session of the Assembly in July. We can still put the heat on our legislators – Gov. Hochul, Chairman Heastie,

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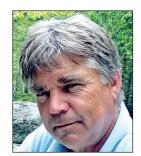
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# The cutting of the scapes

f you follow garlic groups on the internet as I do, you will see a string of growers posting photos of their harvested scapes as summer moves north, their location getting closer and closer to home, to here. And then, suddenly, it is time for us to cut our scapes.

Not all garlic grows scapes. The scape of a garlic plant is the extension of the stem which, if left uncut, "escapes" to develop a pod of clones on the end of it, on the tip, a little white sac filled with miniature garlic bulbs. Not all garlic grows scapes, only the "hardneck" varieties; and the hardneck grow better in the north, in the cold climes, where we live right here in the Hudson Valley. The softnecks don't grow scapes



RICHARD L. PHELPS

Natural Essays

and are better suited for southern, hotter winters, and farmers with the accents of Gomer Pyle and with the Virginia Battle Flag on the sides of their reconstituted tobacco barns, open slats on the sides, rusted FORD by a whiskey rain barrel.

Back in my Fordham days, when I walked across Fordham Road to Arthur Avenue, to the Little Italy of the Bronx, over there with the Italian restaurants and Italian Delis where I would get an Italian sub for my daily bread, passing the old men playing dominoes on wooden card tables on the stone sidewalk, I would run into some of the younger Italian boys from the hood, and they loved to wear a gold garlic scape piece of jewelry around their bare necks, and you could see this icon down below Greenwich Village too, on Mott Street, and it is odd because most Italian garlic does not have a scape. But if you research it, which, of course, I had to do, you will find that the garlic from the

Abruzzo Region of Italy (that section of Italy east of Rome in the Apennine Mountains down to the Adriatic coastline) is famous for its red garlic and this garlic does have a scape, so wearing a scape around the neck might be more of a statement of hometown male Italian regionalism than anything I could have imagined as an upstate farmer boy without clan connections, or gang affiliation. I mean, who knew? Did they know?

It is strongly advised to cut the scapes or pull them (they slip right out of the stem if conditions are right), as this allows much more energy to go to the garlic bulb underground which does not mature, or size up, until the end of the growing cycle. So, even if the scapes are not going to be used, they should be cut off and thrown on the ground, or into a corner of the field where they will continue to develop even without the mother plant, as long as they are not in direct sunlight which would dry them out.

We use our scapes for many things. They are great just as they are, rolled in olive oil and grilled right next to the burgers and franks. They can be stir-fried with beef cubes or chopped right on top of a steak in the frying pan. We like to make a garlic scape pesto of the younger ones, mixing them with olive oil, parmesan cheese, pine nuts and a dash of salt. The pesto can be frozen and gives you that taste of summer all winter long.

Some farmers with dehydrators dry out the garlic scapes, crush them, grind them, dry them some more and mix them with pink Himalayan salt to concoct a garlic salt which sells very well at farmers' markets.

Another favorite of ours is to use the scapes to make a special pickle – pickled garlic scapes, very peppery and crisp and delicious, very low in calories for an all-night munch snack. The scapes are washed and sorted and put tightly into Bell jars and then salt and a pickling mixture is added and the jars are cooked in a canner for 15 minutes to give the scapes the perfect texture and snappy tenderness.



Garlic scapes in Mason jars at Phelps Woodside Farm.

It is an important task to get the scapes off. This year that task has been accomplished. Many steps to growing garlic remain. There are four more steps to go: pulling the garlic from the ground at the most opportune time; hanging the garlic in the shed with fans to cure the garlic; cleaning, sorting, weighing and bagging and labeling the garlic; finally, the selling of the garlic.

On that last point, we have the first garlic on the stand today, green, uncured but juicy and bright. Also, I am registered in three garlic festivalsfirst the Bennington, Vermont Festival; then, the Hudson Valley Garlic Festival, formerly known as the Saugerties Garlic Festival (just about the oldest garlic festival in the country); and, finally, the Bethlehem Connecticut Garlic Festival in October. Wish me luck. See you at the stand. Gosh, what a beautiful day today.

Get your scape on!

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and Assemblyman Brian Maher - to get this bill, #A4592B, into the 2024 budget so that we can have cleaner heat and lower bills this year.

PATRICIA HENIGHAN Walden

Why are they seeking asylum?

I saw a little blurb about a jury in Florida finding Chiquita liable for the murders that were committed by a paramilitary group the company had financed in Columbia. Although, it had not been covered very well by major news agencies I found a large amount of information about the Chiquita case online. A federal jury found Chiquita Brands liable for deaths during the civil war in Columbia. The company was ordered to pay \$38 million to the families of eight

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men who were murdered by the Chiquita far-right paramilitary. Over the past 100 years, Chiquita and its predecessor company have been linked to politicians being removed from office in Honduras, Guatemala and other countries in Central America. Although the United States Department of Justice eventually targeted Chiquita for backing far-right murderous paramilitaries the federal government had previously acted as an enabler of a huge brutal U.S. fruit empire that seized the land of small subsistence farmers.

Since the United States is partially responsible for the troubles of Central America, we need to do a much more humane job of dealing with asylum seekers who are fleeing the impoverished terror of dictatorships that have been put in place by rogue business interests. America is not endangered by teenage mothers who make arduous treks of hundreds of miles hoping to find a safe place to live with their babies.

M. W. SCHWARTZWALDER

Walden

### Character matters

Three recent events serve to focus on the complete lack of moral courage, character, and decency of Donald Trump. First, he was convicted of 34 felonies by a jury in NYC. Despite his inflammatory claims of not being allowed to speak, Trump never took the stand to testify on his own behalf. The testimony of the witnesses established that he had an affair with a porn star, lied about it, and then falsified records to conceal the matter during the 2016 election. In other words, he rigged the election in his favor. These are the acts of a cheat, and a liar, not the type of behavior we want our children to admire or follow.

Second, Memorial Day took place recently, and we remembered those service men and women who gave their lives for our country. Not Trump! He called those killed in action "losers and suckers", and he did so when he was with Marine General John Kelly who lost a son in combat. Remember also Trump's alleged bone spurs that kept him out of the service during the Vietnam War. He has no business suggesting that he is fit to be commander in chief.

Third, the 80th anniversary of D-Day was 6/6/24. President Biden was in France giving a speech warning of the new dangers posed by authoritarians. Trump couldn't give that speech since his supporters are among the authoritarians that are endangering the world today. The American military, together with the British, the Canadians, and the Free French secured the defeat of Nazi forces when they landed on the Normandy beaches. Now we have Trump accepting support from Neo Nazis. The World War Two dead would be outraged as we all should be.

Trump is so lacking moral fortitude that he cannot reject Neo Nazi support because they flatter him. Had the Normandy landings failed, Gen. Eisenhower was prepared to accept full responsibility. Can anyone imagine Trump showing the leadership capacity to accept responsibility for a mission gone wrong? He'd point fingers at everyone but himself. Recall his conduct when COVID struck. He advised us to inject bleach and ignore medical experts. Hundreds of thousands of Americans died unnecessarily because of his failed leadership during COVID.

Trump is lacking the requisite character to make him fit for office. He complains about the "enemies within", a term used by dictators. Who are those enemies? Anyone who opposes Trump is an "enemy" in his view. However, the people who worked for him are the real enemies of our country. Look at how many are in prison or under indictment. Rudy Gilliani, Mark Meadows, Steve Bannon, to name but a few, were influential members of the Trump administration or advisors, and they now face significant legal problems. A second Trump administration would look more like a Mafia gathering than a government.

His supporters say that Trump will be "good for America" without giving specifics. That claim does not withstand scrutiny. Recently Trump met with oil and energy executives and demanded that they come up with one billion dollars for his political campaign. In exchange, he promised to do away with the environmental laws and regulations passed by the Biden administration. Think about that as we swelter this summer. He met with corporate executives and promised that their favorable tax status would continue, but he wanted them to pay up to his campaign. Recently, he stated that he'd be a dictator but only for "day one". In one day he could sign a series of executive orders that would fundamentally change the nature of our government, putting him at the head of an all powerful regime, beyond the control of Congress or the courts. On January 6, 2021, he stood by as a crowd screamed to "hang Mike Pence", a person who had been loyal to Trump. These are the acts of a self-absorbed autocrat, not someone who's acting in the national interest.

And let's not forget what he has in store for women. A national abortion ban, and allowing states to monitor a woman's pregnancy to make sure that it goes full term, are two of his "ideas".

Retribution and revenge are his themes. Does that sound like an American President or an authoritarian thug? Many people are unaware of Trump's plans because their news sources do not cover them. I encourage everyone to explore alternatives to their regular news source. This applies to Democrats and Republicans alike. Trump wants us divided and fighting among ourselves. In that way it is easier for him to act as a dictator. Instead, we should be

working together to preserve our democracy.

Trump represents an existential threat to our way of life, our freedom and our democracy. Character matters!! He must be stopped.

PETER ERIKSEN Walden

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# What comes after the congestion pricing reversal?

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The pause has prompted some upstate lawmakers to call for an audit of MTA finances. State Senator Rob Rolison (R-Poughkeepsie) co-sponsors S.4190, legislation which would require a public accounting firm to report its findings on or before January 2026.

"The congestion tax was a mistake. Let's not double down on that error by handing the MTA a blank check," said Rolison. "We can provide modern public transit – a government function I support – while offering commuters and taxpayers assurances that their money is being wisely spent."

It's a valid point. For all we know, congestion pricing in some form or another could re-appear after Election Day. Before it does, we may want to come up with a stronger accounting of just how much the MTA needs, and how it can raise funds in a way that's fair to the rest of us.

# Hospice of Orange and Sullivan honors local veterans

By ELLA CONNORS

Dignity, honor and respect were the core themes present at Hospice of Orange and Sullivan Counties' veteran's breakfast on June 12.

Along with their friends and family, local veterans gathered at the Otterkill Country Club to commemorate their service and honor the sacrifice of those who did not return home. Many took the time to catch up with old friends and listen to the scheduled speeches and presenters. June 12 is also Women's Veterans Recognition Day.

Maggie Sutter, the director of development at Hospice of Orange, said the veteran committee deserves a large amount of credit for planning the breakfast. Almost twice the size it was last year, Sutter said the event stands as a testament to their collaboration with other organizations, like nursing homes or other veteran groups.

"I think the whole purpose of it is just to bring veterans together," Sutter said. "Hopefully they feel appreciated, and they can have conversations and meet other veterans alike and bridge the gap between different organizations that they can hopefully work together [with] in the future."

Major Brian A. Ibbs — commander of the 105th Base Defense Squadron, Stewart Air National Guard Base in Newburgh — who was chosen as the guest speaker for the event, spoke of his own time in the service, including stories about other veterans who had lost their lives fighting on behalf of their country.

"I have a lot of pride in having the opportunity to speak with these veterans here today to talk a little bit about what we are currently doing in the air force specifically and in the air national guard," Ibbs said. "It's really just a great time for community and engagement for our base, Hospice of Orange and Sullivan County and the veterans in our local community."

Having pursued a job as a mortuary officer from 2019-2023, Ibbs credited the experience as one of the most impactful positions of his career. The program's mission is to ensure dignity, honor and respect for fallen service members, as high honor is offered to those who die fighting for their country. Describing one moment where he was



Ginny Urban (left) and Garfield Bryan

sent to inform a family that their son had passed, Ibbs said they were very grateful to the airforce and took a lot of pride in the respect that was offered to their loved one.

A Hospice of Orange & Sullivan Counties Veterans Committee volunteer, Ginny Urban, was awarded the Annual Paul V. Rader Vet-to-Vet Volunteer Award for her contributions to the organization.

"I'm very honored to get this award," Urban said. "It is totally unexpected. I love working with all of the veteran committee members, and I am happy to support the veterans in any way I can."

Sandi Cassese, the president and chief executive officer of Hospice, said she is very proud of the event they held honoring the nation's veterans and those that support them.

"Hospice of Orange and Sullivan counties has been involved in making sure that our veterans understand very well the benefits that they are entitled to and to make sure that they understand that they are safe in the care of us [at Hospice] if they are to face a life limiting event," Cassesse said. "And we want to be sure that we have respectful inquiry and we understand fully the sacrifices that our veterans have made. This is just one small way of us giving back to our dedicated members of the service."



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### INTERVIEW

## "All Must Prepare for the Great Tribulation Follow Jehovah's Way to Be Saved" - Brother Joël Kaleu

### 1. Who are *The Christians Servants* of Jehovah?

"The Christians Servants of Jehovah" is the new Way that Jehovah the true God has created for survival during the fast-approaching great tribulation; anyone who wants to be saved must "grab the life jacket" that Jesus Christ, the glorified king, holds out to him through this Way. To explain this fact, let us consider some examples from the past: Noah, Lot and Jesus Christ.

In the days of Noah, "the true God saw that wickedness and violence were abundant in the earth, and that all the thoughts of man were only evil, and he was grieved and regretted that he had made men on the earth" then, he decided to cause great destruction on the entire planet by a universal flood because "I have decided to put an end to all flesh, because the earth is full of violence on account of them, so I am bringing them to ruin together with the earth." is what the Holy Scriptures declare. Furthermore, unlike his contemporaries, Noah found favor in the eves of God because he was a righteous, upright man and walked with Him. Then God said to him: "Make for yourself an ark (...). And I am establishing my covenant with you, and you must go into the ark, you, your sons, your wife, and your sons' wives with you. And bring into the ark two of every sort of living creature in order to preserve them alive with you, a male and a female" (Genesis 6:5-18). Furthermore, the true God gave Noah the complete architectural plan and dimensions of the ark. And, Noah did exactly as the true God commanded him.

Then, in the days of Lot, before the destruction that God brought upon the cities of Sodom and Gomorrah, the angels of the true God showed a Way for the preservation of life. That Way was to get out of Sodom and Gomorrah. The Holy Scriptures tell that Lot had to alert his three sons-in-law and some friends who were in that city. Unfortunately, no one paid attention to it. Only Lot, his wife and his two daughters followed the Way that Jehovah had opened through his angels. Lot was probably not the only one to be distressed about the state of advanced sexual immorality in the city.



Brother Joël Kaleu, a Servant of Jehovah at The Christians Servants of Jehovah Movement

However, only those who followed the Way of salvation which was opened at that precise and decisive moment in human History, and indicated by the Sovereign Lord Jehovah, could be saved

Finally, in the first century C.E., long before the destruction that was to befall the city of Jerusalem, the Special Envoy of the only true God Jehovah, whose name is Jesus Christ, had established a congregation called 'The Way'. It allowed any informed inhabitant of Jerusalem and Judea to remember the precise survival instructions that he had given to his disciples when this attack occurred. Only those who followed the instructions that the prophet Jesus had given long before, could be saved. Anyone who remained in Judea and did not follow that Way was destroyed, even though he had been a servant of the true God.

In these times we are living, just as during the destructions mentioned above, the Sovereign Lord Jehovah, out of love for 'all', has opened "a new Way", which will help all the humble people of the earth who firmly hope in him and are impatiently awaiting his salvation, to escaping the great woes and catastrophes that are soon to befall the whole earth.

In conclusion, it is clear from this message that: whether a person belongs to any religion or religious denomination, what matters is to walk in the Way the Almighty God has made, which is led by Jesus Christ the Savior of the world, the one through whom all instructions for survival will come.

### 2. What makes you believe that this is the only Way that is used?

The Sovereign Lord Jehovah himself has made this known to us. In fact, in a message transmitted on May 16, 2024, by one of his known angelic sons, he declared to all the inhabitants of planet Earth the following. I quote an excerpt: "It is through this channel (*The Christians Servants of Jehovah*) that Jehovah and Jesus Christ extend the life jacket to all humans in general and to all his true worshipers in particular and this, for the preservation of life". End of quote.

### 3. You spoke earlier of a "great tribulation." What is that?

This is the period when woes of all kinds, intended to destroy wicked humans, will sweep across the earth from one place to another, wreak havoc on human lives and completely devastate the earth like never before. These woes are clearly mentioned in chapters 8, 9, 10 and 16, of the book of Revelation.

# 4. Are *The Christians Servants of Jehovah* the same as *Jehovah's Witnesses*, or a revival church of *Jehovah's Witnesses*? What is the difference?

Neither, even though it is true that the name of the true God Jehovah is on our denomination. As I said above, this is a new Way set by the Sovereign Lord Jehovah. It is different from *Jehovah's Witnesses* in that its mission is to transmit to humans spiritual and practical provisions that the true God has made to help humans who love and obey him, to face and escape this great tribulation. As we move forward into this great tribulation and, as is convenient for the Sovereign Lord Jehovah, these provisions will be communicated through our website www.TheChristiansServantsofJehovah. org. The implementation of these provisions will depend on each person's faith in the Sov-

ereign Lord Jehovah.

We openly, humbly, and honestly acknowledge that for decades, the Sovereign Lord Jehovah has used the organization of Jehovah's Witnesses to announce the coming of God's kingdom with its glorified king Jesus Christ. Unfortunately, for reasons which we are not authorized to say here publicly, since the members of the Governing Body know it, for several years, the true God has not stopped sending them privately warnings, messages, instructions and even injunctions which they cannot deny under any circumstances. In any case, we will not speak ill or disclose the faults of any religious entity, because this permission was not given to us.

According to the excerpt from the same message transmitted on May 16, 2024, it clearly emerges that the true God has opened this new Way to help every inhabitant of the earth who would listen attentively to his message, to prepare for the unfortunate events to come, and if possible to survive and to live on into the next new world order.

### 5. Mr. Joël Kaleu, do you believe that this world will truly end?

Yes I firmly do. In fact, the signs announced by Jesus Christ in Matthew 24:7-9 and Luke 21:10, 11 are finding their complete fulfillment since the appearance of the first Covid-19 disease in October 2019, which has not yet been completely eradicated. As Jesus said so well in Matthew's gospel, these are only "the birth pangs" which are to give birth to a great tribulation, or a great devastation such as the world has never known until our days. I can reassure you dear all (Christians, friends, parents, families, atheists, viewers around the world, etc.) that, according to the messages we receive from heaven, very soon, in other words in just a few years, the great winds of destruction will be released. Thus, the universal uproar will occur throughout the earth, because all the inhabitants of the earth will be forced to recognize "the hand of the true God". As it was the case in Ancient Egypt, when King Pharaoh and all the Egyptians were forced to unanimously recognize his almightiness. Moreover, as was once announced by the prophets Isaiah, Jesus Christ and John, this devastation will be of unprecedented magnitude.

### 6. Who is the founder of *The Christians Servants of Jehovah?*

As we said previously, we are not a religious entity or a movement made to have members, but a Way made by the true God and which leads to salvation or the preservation of human life. This Way is a disposition of the Sovereign Lord of the universe JEHOVAH himself. As foretold by our Lord Jesus Christ in Matthew 7:13-14a, it is a narrow gate, a cramped and narrow road leading off into the preservation of human lives, which is now open to anyone who would like live forever on an earth transformed into a Paradise. In addition to this, anyone who wishes to walk in this Way will have to let themselves be guided by the Sovereign Lord of the universe, to ensure their survival during this period of great universal destruction which is now very close at hand. The destination of this Way being of course, the millennial earthly kingdom of his glorified Son Jesus Christ. For 1000 years, all the earth will have one king: Jesus Christ the glorified king. Only the one whom Jesus Christ the glorified king judges worthy of being so, will be a subject of this government.

### 7. Do *The Christians Servants of Jehovah* have publications?

Yes. Our web site www.TheChristiansServantsofJehovah.org presents the titles of publications in preparation. These publications contain the basic knowledge that will allow everyone to decide and choose whether or not to walk in this Way.

### 8. Where is the Headquarters of *The Christians Servants of Jehovah*?

Since this is a Way open to all servants of God scattered throughout the world, it does not have a specific headquarters, because it is similar to the one Jesus Christ, the Son of God, had opened in the first century when he was on earth. Being himself the Envoy and Son of God, he did not leave a Headquarters. However, this work is already operational in a few countries and it will extend further to several others around the world.

### 9. How is this new Way financed?

It is financed by financial contributions and voluntary donations of all kinds, from members (financial, material, physical, etc.), sympathizers and/or any person wishing to provide a voluntary support to the brothers of Christ for the advancement of his work, which currently extends over the entire earth. As in the first century, these contributions received serve and will serve essentially: the global expansion of this Way, the continuation of the work of the kingdom of God and helping the servants of God during this great tribulation.

### 10. How does one become a *Christian Servant of Jehovah*?

To become a Christian Servant of Jehovah, one must simply make a firm decision to serve the true God whose name is JEHO-VAH. Then, get to know the only true God and Jesus Christ his Envoy. And if a person is already a dedicated and baptized Christian, according to an excerpt from the message of May 16, 2024, which clearly stated that, this person should pray intensely the true God in order to receive confirmation that this new Way has truly been opened by the Almighty One whose name is JE-HOVAH, and is the one that leads into salvation. Because, "the true God is responsible for responding to each person individually" he says. Subsequently, after this affirmation, we will ensure your commitment to this new Way. Finally, faith in Christ Jesus being essential, each person wishing to become a Christian Servant of Jehovah is required to read the accounts of the four gospels regularly.

Announcements and releases will be regularly posted on our website at www. *TheChristiansServantsofJehovah.org* Thank you.

# Great American Race returning to Montgomery



Clinton Street was a stopover during the 2022 race.

### By JARED CASTAÑEDA jared@tcnewspapers.com

he Hemmings Motor News Great Race, a national automobile rally over 40 years old, will make its second-ever pit stop in the Village of Montgomery next Thursday, June 27 at 11:30 a.m. on Clinton Street, where residents can marvel at 120 vehicles spanning several decades and meet their drivers.

The Great Race, started in 1983 by Tom McRae and Norman Miller, is a nine-day, 2,300-mile trek in which dozens of drivers from across the globe will cruise through a long stretch of states. This year, contestants will begin in Owensboro, Kentucky, and pass by 19 cities along the Eastern United States until they reach Gardiner. Maine. Judges will score drivers based on how well they keep pace between checkpoints and will penalize them if they reach a checkpoint too early or late. The team with the lowest score will win \$50,000 from a \$160,000 purse, and the remaining \$110,000 will be divided across other teams, based on various criteria.

The event is known for showcasing antique cars, the oldest ones dating back to 1912. This year's race will feature a 1912 Haynes, a 1913 Chevrolet, and a 1916 Hudson.

Previously, the Village of Montgomery hosted a stop during the 2022 Great Race, impressing Hemmings Motor News so much that the company offered the community another opportunity to host this year. Considering that each Great Race features a different course from the last, drivers will rarely visit the same stops between years, making the village an exceptional case.

"The Great Race rarely travels back to a city stop, and when it does it's usually been 10 years or more," said Jeff Stumb, director of the event. "Once we knew we'd be taking the race through southeast New York we immediately called the Village of Montgomery to see if we could come back for a second time in three years because of the fantastic job they did in 2022."

Once the contestants reach Clinton Street, they will take a break, enjoy lunch, and engage with residents for several hours. The event will be free and everyone is encouraged to visit and say hi to the racers; children may also have the chance to hop into the cars and check them out in the front seat.

For more information, visit greatrace.com or contact Stumb at jeff@greatrace.com or (423) 648-8542.

John Eino Honkala
John Eino Honkala of New Paltz, passed away Tuesday, June 11, 2024. He was 88.

The son of the late Eino Ilmari Honkala and Helmi Marie Onramaki, he was born May 31, 1936 in Manhattan.

John graduated from OCCC in 1956 and worked as a developing engineer for IBM. After retiring from



IBM he became a pumpkin farmer from 1990-2011 as owner of Country Charm Farm. He was an antique dealer for 45 years. John was also an avid gardener and sold to many wholesale houses growing flowers including Alders Wholesale Florist in Campbell Hall. His farm reflects all of his beautiful flowers.

John and his longtime companion

Deanne Kimler enjoyed many wonderful years, times and trips together.

He was the widower of Dorothy Klein Honkala.

Survivors include his daughter Dee Anne Gillespie and her husband Andy of Alabama, sister Nancy Honkala Williams of Georgia, brother Richard Honkala & wife Maria of Vermont, granddaughters Emily and Katie, longtime companion Deanne Kimler, and her

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family Frank Kimler, Jay and Kelly Kimler and Kalyn and Justin Bard and her five wonderful grandchildren Deanne shared with John.

Along with his parents, he was predeceased by his brother-in-law Larry. Cremation will take place privately.

Memorial contributions can be made in John's name to The Walden Humane Society, National Audubon Society or Hudson Valley Honor Flight.

A Celebration of Life service will be held at a later date. Arrangements were made by Millspaugh Funeral Directors. For directions or condolences please visit millspaughfuneralhome.com.

### Michael H. Leary

Michael H. Leary of Wallkill, passed away Saturday, June 15, 2024, in Kingston. He was 81.

The son of the late Henry W. Leary and Thelma Nash Leary, he was born March 9, 1943 in Newburgh.

Mike was an avid outdoorsman who loved to fish and hunt. He was a member of the Wallkill Rod and Gun Club and a lifetime NRA member. Mike loved farming; he and Helen spent many days at the Livingston Farm in West Winfield, NY, where he would help with the crops.

Michael was a retired traffic manager for Eastern Alloys, Maybrook, NY.





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When he wasn't at work, he would be moving the lawn or washing his truck. He was always busy doing something! He loved his family especially his grandson Zachary. He was the widower of Helen Leary.

Survivors include his son Scott M. Leary and his wife Tammy, son Michael A. Leary, grandson Zachary Leary and his fiancé Lindsey, sister-in-law Carol Cotton, nephew Chris Cotton, nephew Mark Cotton & his wife Laura.

Visitation will be Wednesday, June 19, 4pm-7pm at Wallkill Funeral Home, 12 Bona Ventura Ave., Wallkill.

A graveside service will be Thursday, June 20, at 10 a.m. in Bruynswick Rural Cemetery in Wallkill, NY. Pastor Cathy Bruce will officiate.

### Alicia L. Maloney

Alicia L. Maloney of Poinciana, FL, formerly of Montgomery passed away at her home in Florida on Tuesday, May 21, 2024. She was 73.

The daughter of William and Frances "Dot" Boyle Adebahr, she was born on July 28, 1950 in the Bronx, NY. Alicia was a registered nurse at St. Luke's Hospital, Newburgh, and Westchester Medical Center, Valhalla, NY. She was the widow of Donald "Moe" Maloney.



Survivors are her twin sister, Madelyn Dowd (Edward), of Queens,

NY and their son, Matthew (Jennifer); stepdaughter,

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Maureen Vetro and her significant other, Mario D'Amato, of Walden, NY; stepson, James Maloney (Rosie) of Lindenhurst, NY; grandchildren: Antoinette, Jason, Caitlyn, Marissa, and Kristine; and many beloved nieces and nephews. She was predeceased by her husband, Donald "Moe" Maloney; her sons, Jesse and Todd; brothers, Eric "Ricky" and Edward; and her sister, Margaret.

A visitation will be held on Wednesday, June 19th from 6-8 PM at the Gridley-Horan Funeral Home, 39 Orchard Street, Walden. Prayer service to follow at 8 p.m.. Interment of her cremains will be on Thursday, June 20th at 10:30 AM in the Wallkill Valley Cemetery, Walden, NY. Contributions may be made to the charity of one's choice.

To leave the family a condolence, please visit gridleyhoran.com.

### William F. Schloemer IV

William F. Schloemer IV, affectionately known as "Big Bill," passed away on June 9, 2024, leaving behind a legacy of love, service, and integrity. Born on February 10, 1946, in New York City to Frances and William Schloemer, Bill spent his early years in the Bronx before moving upstate



to Montgomery, New York at the age of 8. There, surrounded by farmland and open skies, Bill and his younger brother Gregory embarked on many adventures, dabbling in what some might call "healthy mischief."

Bill's teenage years were colored by his passions for baseball, cars, and rock 'n roll. Every night, he and Gregory would listen to the radio, letting the sounds of the fifties and early sixties rock them to sleep. His favorite song, "The Wanderer,"

became a fitting anthem for his early interest in life's journeys and the ladies who crossed his path.

After graduating Valley Central High School in Montgomery, NY, Bill charted his own course by enlisting in the US Navy, where he served as an air traffic controller on the USS Kearsarge during the Vietnam War. Bill was deeply dedicated to serving others, a pride which was often visually reflected by his favorite Navy hat and pins. He credited his "nerves of steel" with the time he spent in the Navy, a trait he carried into his career as a stockbroker and financial consultant.

Upon his return from Navy service, he enjoyed the camaraderie and excitement of bachelorhood, slinging drinks behind the bar at Dino's in Middletown with his brother and one of his best mates, Larry Marina.

Bill would go on to complete his bachelor's degree in economics and business and later his master's degree. His professional journey took him to Prudential Securities and later Raymond James Financial Services. Known for his patience, calm demeanor, and adept business acumen, he enjoyed a successful career as a financial consultant and broker.

Bill's journey as a bachelor would end when fate intervened and he met Margaret "Margie" Davis. Together, Bill and Margie built a beautiful life, raising two wonderful children, Crystal Miller and William F. Schloemer V, also known as "Little Billy". While he was a generous provider to his family, he led with his heart and playful spirit, always ready with a reassuring word, smile, or joke.

In his later years, Bill's joy came from the simple pleasures of life. He relished political humor, leisurely shopping trips to Sam's Club, and proudly sharing his Republican viewpoints. His love for cars, especially his cherished Corvette, and rock 'n roll remained undiminished. Fulfilling his dream of becoming a "man of leisure," Bill secured a home in The Villages, Florida, a vibrant senior community where the drinks were cheap and the rock 'n roll played on.

With his encouraging, positive nature, Bill had an extraordinary ability to uplift those around him, offering unwavering support and optimism in every situation. These same traits fueled Bill's resilience during his battle with stage IV colon and liver cancer, earning him the title of "miracle man" among his doctors. His tolerance for pain and remarkable ability to rebound were nothing short of inspirational.

Bill is survived by his son, William F. Schloemer V (Little Billy); his daughter,

Crystal Miller, her husband Kyle, and their children Riley and Noah; his brother Gregory Schloemer and wife Susan; his sister Gail Schloemer and husband Bob Tendy; and many beloved nieces, nephews and friends.

As we say goodbye to Big Bill, we remember a man who served his country with pride, loved his family with a fierce devotion, and lived life with a twinkle in his eye and a rock 'n roll soundtrack in his heart. Here's to you, Big Bill-may your legacy continue to inspire us to live life with love, service, and integrity.

For more about Bill please visit everloved.com/life-of/williamschloemer/.



John B. Paquette 2/7/42 - 6/13/23

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STATE OF NEW YORK SUPREME COURT COUNTY OF ORANGE Citizens Bank, N.A. f/k/a RBS Citizens, N.A. Plaintiff v. Kerry Gallagher, Orange County Commissioner of Finance, as Public Administrator De Bonis Non of the Estate of Debra McAdams a/k/a Debra L. McAdams a/k/a Debra Lynn McAdams August J. McAdams Michael Lorenzo Jose Rios Matthew Johnson New York State Department of Taxation and Finance United States of America/ Internal Revenue Service Samantha McAdams, if living, and if she be dead, any and all persons unknown to plaintiff, claiming, or who may claim to have an interest in, or generally or specific lien upon the real property described in this action: such unknown persons being herein generally described and intended to be included in the following designation, namely: the wife.

widow, husband, widower, heirs-at-law, next of kin, descendants, executors, administrators, devisees, legatees, creditors, trustees, committees, lienors, and assignees of such deceased, any and all persons deriving interest in or lien upon, or title to said real property by, through, or under them and their respective wives, widows, husbands, widowers, heirs-at-law, next of kin, descendants, executors, administrators, devisees, legatees, creditors, trustees, committees, lienors, and assigns, all of whom and whose names, except as stated, are unknown to plaintiff, Defendants. Index No. EF002657-2019 Filing Date: 6/3/2024 SUPPLEMENTAL SUMMONS BY PUBLICATION Mortgaged Premises: 53 Third Street Godeffrov, NY 12729 Tax Parcel: 28-1-87 Town of Deerpark County of Orange TO THE ABOVE NAMED DEFENDANTS: YOU ARE HERE-

BY SUMMONED to answer the Complaint in the above action and to serve a copy of your Answer on the plaintiff's attorney within twenty (20) days after the service of this Summons, exclusive of the day of service, or within thirty (30) days after completion of service where service is made in any other manner than by personal delivery within the State. The United States of America, if designated as a defendant in this action, may answer or appear within sixty (60) days of service hereof. In case of your failure to appear or answer, judgment will be taken against you by default for the relief demanded in the complaint. Orange County is designated as the place of trial. The basis of venue is the location of the mortgaged premises, DATED: June 5, 2024 /s Esther Gabriel Esther S. Gabriel. Esq. HARRIS BEACH PLLC Attorneys for Plaintiff 333 West Washington Street, Suite 200 Syracuse, NY 13202 (315) 423-7100 TO THE DEFENDANT, August J. McAdams: The foregoing Summons is served upon you by publication pursuant to an Order of Honorable Justice Craig Stephen Brown, J.S.C., dated, and filed with the Complaint in the office of the Clerk of the County of Orange in the Village of Goshen, County of Orange and State of New York. TO THE DEFEND-ANT, Samantha McAdams, if living, and if she be dead, any and all persons unknown to plaintiff, claiming, or who may claim to have an interest in, or generally or specific lien upon the real property described in this action; such unknown persons being herein generally described and intended to be included in the following designation. namely: the wife, widow, husband, widower, heirs-at-law, next of kin, descendants, exec-

utors, administrators, devisees, legatees, creditors, trustees, committees, lienors, and assignees of such deceased, any and all persons deriving interest in or lien upon, or title to said real property by, through, or under them and their respective wives, widows, husbands, widowers, heirs-at-law, next of kin, descendants, executors, administrators, devisees, legatees, creditors, trustees, committees, lienors, and assigns, all of whom and whose names, except as stated, are unknown to plaintiff, The nature of this action is to foreclose a Mortgage dated May 17, 2012, executed by Debra McAdams to RBS Citizens, N.A., to secure the sum of Sixty Thousand and 00/100 Dollars (\$60,000,00), and recorded in the Orange County Clerk 's Office on May 21, 2012, in Book 13347, page 665. The premises hereinbefore referred to are described as fol-













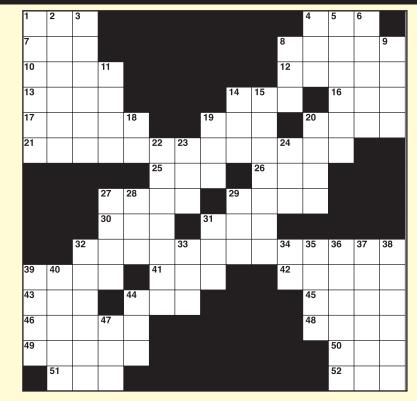
### **The Weekly Crossword**

### **ACROSS**

- 1. Second sight
- 4. Standard electrode potential
- 7. Type of gibbon
- 8. John Joseph \_\_:
- American industrialist
- 10. Manning and Whitney are two
- 12. Abrupt
- 13. Baroque musical instrument
- 14. Post-burning residue
- 16. When you hope to arrive
- 17. Sign up (Brit. Eng.)
- 19. Sun up in New York
- 20. Employee stock ownership plan
- 21. Where people live
- 25. Method to record an electrogram
- 26. Angry
- 27. No longer living
- 29. Simple
- 30. Swiss river
- 31. Portion of a play
- 32. It's under the tree
- 39. Wood sorrels
- 41. No (Scottish)
- 42. Dialect of English
- 43. Former Steelers' QB
- 44. Popular beer
- 45. It can make you sick
- 46. Tropical tree and fruit
- 48. Company officer
- 49. Contact lens term
- 50. Your consciousness
- of your own identity
- 51. "Ghetto Superstar" singer
- 52. Piece of turf

### **DOWN**

- 1. Number of players on each side in a football game
- 2. Containing salt
- 3. Reasoning or knowledge: a \_\_\_
- 4. Car mechanics group



- 5. Leave a place 6. Southern Colombian
- capital
- 8. Old English letter
- 9. Tide
- 11. Walk heavily
- 14. Chemical compound (abbr.)
- 15. Artificial openings
- 18. Luteinizing hormone
- 19. Unit of energy
- 20. Circular movement of water
- 22. A way of holding
- 23. Popular book of words (abbr.)
- 24. States' group
- 27. Dashes
- 28. Body part
- 29. Electronic countermeasures
- 31. Consumed
- 32. Small bird
- 33. Unhappy
- 34. Football's big game (abbr.)

- 35. Valued object offered in good faith 36. Wild goats
- 37. Precede in place
- 38. Small edible fish
- 39. Notice of death
- 40. Body cavity of a metazoan
- 44. Partner to cheese
- 47. Not around

Answers from last week's puzzle

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lows: ALL THAT CERTAIN PLOT, PIECE OR PARCEL OF LAND, situate, lying and being in the Town of Deerpark, County of Orange and State of New York, being more particularly described as follows: Beginning at a point marked by an iron spike at the intersection of the northeasterly side of Avenue B and the northwesterly side of 3rd Street, said point marks the southerly most corner of the parcel herein described; thence along the northeasterly side of Avenue B. North 41° 38' 30" West, 157.60 feet to an iron rod set for a corner; thence North 41° 19' 30" Fast 14740 feet to an iron rod set for a corner; thence North 15° 19' 30" East, 58.00 feet to an iron rod set for a corner thence South 77° 40' 30" Fast 11810 feet to an iron rod set on the westerly side of 3rd Street: thence along the same, South 06° 26' 30" West, 135,41 feet to an iron rod set for a corner; thence continuing along the same, South 40° 56' 30" West, 165.01 feet to the point and place of beginning. DATED: June 5, 2024 /s Esther Gabriel Esther S. Gabriel, Esq. HARRIS BEACH PLLC Attorneys for Plaintiff 333 West Washington Street, Suite 200 Syracuse, NY 13202 (315) 423-7100 TO THE DEFENDANT, August J. McAdams, and Samantha McAdams, if living, and if she be dead, any and all persons unknown to plaintiff, claiming, or who may claim to have an interest in, or generally or specific lien upon the real property described in this action; such unknown persons being herein generally described and intended to be included in the following designation, namely: the wife, widow, husband, widower, heirs-at-law, next of kin, descendants, executors, administrators, devisees, legatees, creditors, trustees, committees, lienors, and assignees of such deceased, any and all persons deriving interest in or lien upon, or title to said real property by, through, or under them and their respective wives. widows, husbands, widowers, heirs-atlaw, next of kin, descendants, executors, administrators devisees legatees creditors trustees, committees, lienors, and assigns,

all of whom and whose names, except as stated, are unknown to plaintiff: In the case of default, judgment shall be taken against the Estate of Debra McAdams a/k/a Debra L. McAdams a/k/a Debra Lynn McAdams for an amount equal to the unpaid principal balance of said mortgage with interest from May 1, 2016, and any advances made by the Plaintiff for, but not limited to, taxes, insurance, securing the premises and costs of this proceeding. The amount due as of June 11, 2021, is \$74,948.58.

SUPREME COURT OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK INDEX NO. EF008541-2023 COUNTY OF ORANGE FAREVERSE LLC I/L/T/N FINANCE OF **AMERICA** REVERSE LLC Plaintiff designates ORANGE as the place of trial situs of the real property SUPPLÉMENTAL SUMMONS Mortgaged Premises: 14 MYRTLE AVENUE, NEW WINDSOR, NY 12553

Section: 13, Block: 14, Lot: 4

Plaintiff.

JOSEPH A. REARDON, JR., AS HEIR AND DISTRIBUTEE OF THE ESTATE OF ETHELK REARDON: JOSEPH N REAR-DON, AS HEIR AND DISTRIBUTEE OF THE ESTATE OF ETHEL K. REARDON: COLLEEN REARDON, AS HEIR AND DISTRIBUTEE OF THE ESTATE OF ETHEL K. REARDON: ROBIN RHODES-REARDON, AS HEIR AND DISTRIBUTEE OF THE ESTATE OF ETHEL K. REARDON; UNKNOWN HEIRS AND DIS-TRIBUTEES OF THE ESTATE OF ETHEL K. REARDON, any and all persons unknown to plaintiff, claiming, or who may claim to have an interest in, or general or specific lien upon the real property described in this action; such unknown persons being herein generally described and intended



to be included in the following designation, namely: the wife, widow, husband, widower, heirs at law, next of kin, descendants, executors, administrators, devisees, legatees, creditors, trustees, committees, lienors, and assignees of such deceased, any and all persons deriving interest in or lien upon. or title to said real property by, through or under them, or either of them, and their respective wives, widows, husbands, widowers, heirs at law, next of kin, descendants, executors, administrators, devisees, legatees, creditors, trustees, committees, lienors and assigns, all of whom and whose names except as stated, are unknown to plaintiff: SECRETARY OF HOUSING AND URBAN AND DEVELOPMENT: CORNWALL HOSPI-TAL: NEW YORK STATE DEPARTMENT OF TAXATION AND FINANCE: UNITED STATES OF AMERICA: HUDSON VALLEY CREDIT UNION F/K/A HUDSON VALLEY FEDERAL CREDIT UNION.

"JOHN DOE #1" through "JOHN DOE #12" the last twelve names being fictitious and unknown to plaintiff, the persons or parties intended being the tenants, occupants, persons or corporations, if any, having or claiming an interest in or lien upon the premises, described in the complaint, Defendants

To the above named Defendants

YOU ARE HEREBY SUMMONED to answer the Complaint in the above entitled action and to serve a copy of your Answer on the plaintiff's attorney within twenty (20) days of the service of this Summons, exclusive of the day of service, or within thirty (30) days after service of the same is complete where service is made in any manner other than by personal delivery within the State. The United States of America, if designated as a defendant in this action, may answer or appear within sixty (60) days of service. Your failure to appear or to answer will result in a judgment against you by default for the relief demanded in the Complaint. In the

event that a deficiency balance remains from the sale proceeds, a judgment may be entered against you.

NOTICE OF NATURE OF ACTION AND RELIEF SOUGHT THE OBJECT of the above caption action is to foreclose a Mortgage to

secure the sum of \$195,000.00 and interest, recorded on February 05, 2018, in Book 14358 at Page 1353, of the Public Records of ORANGE County, New York. covering premises known as 14 MYRTLE AVENUE, NEW WINDSOR, NY 12553.

The relief sought in the within action is a final judgment directing the sale of the premises described above to satisfy the debt secured by the Mortgage described

ORANGE County is designated as the place of trial because the real property affected by this action is located in said

NOTICE

YOU ARE IN DANGER OF LOSING YOUR HOME

If you do not respond to this summons and complaint by serving a copy of the answer on the attorney for the mortgage company who filed this foreclosure proceeding against you and filing the answer with the court, a default

judgment may be entered and you can lose your home. Speak to an attorney or go to the court where your case is pending for further information on how to answer the summons and protect your property. Sending a payment to the mortgage company will not stop the foreclosure action.

YOU MUST RESPOND BY SERVING A COPY OF THE ANSWER ON THE ATTOR-NEY FOR THE PLAINTIFF (MORTGAGE COMPANY) AND FILING THE ANSWER WITH THE COURT.

Dated: May 29 th, 2024 ROBERTSON, ANSCHUTZ, SCHNEID. CRANE & PARTNERS, PLLC

Attorney for Plaintiff

Matthew Rothstein, Esq. 900 Merchants Concourse, Suite 310 Westbury, NY 11590

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### **Highland Fire District**

HIGHLAND FIRE DISTRICT SPECIAL MEETING NOTICE

The Board of Fire Commissioners of the Highland Fire District will hold a SPE-CIAL Meeting on June 20, 2024, at 7PM at Highland Fire District Headquarters located at 25 Milton Avenue, Town of Lloyd, Highland New York. The purpose of the meeting. will be to discuss the consideration of a bunk-in program and any other business that may come before the Board.

By order of the Board of Fire Commissioners

> Highland Fire District Leslie B. Benson District Secretary 6/14/2024

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### Town of Llovd

Notice of Public Hearing of the Town of Lloyd Comprehensive Plan Committee This is in accordance with the Open

Date: Monday, June 24, 2024 Time: 6:00 PM Place: Town Hall Wendy D. Rosinski

Town Clerk

### Town of Montgomery

LEGAL NOTICE OF ESTOPPEL

The bond resolution, a summary of which is published herewith, has been adopted on May 15, 2024, and the validity of the obligations authorized by such resolu-

tion may be hereafter contested only if such obligations were authorized for an object or purpose for which the Town of Montgomery, Orange County, New York, is not authorized to expend money, or if the provisions of law which should have been complied with as of the date of publication of this notice were not substantially complied with, and an action, suit or proceeding contesting such validity is commenced within twenty days after the date of publication of this notice, or such obligations were authorized in violation of the provisions of the Constitution Such resolution was subject to a permissive referendum. The period of time has elapsed for the submission and filing of a petition for a permissive referendum. and a valid petition has not been submitted and filed. A complete copy of the resolution summarized herewith is available for public inspection during regular business hours at the Office of the Town Clerk for a period of twenty days from the date of publication

> Dated: Montgomery, New York, June 15, 2024. Tara Stickles

Town Clerk

of this Notice

BOND RESOLUTION DATED MAY 15, 2024.

A RESOLUTION SUPPLEMENTING THE BOND RESOLUTION DATED SEPTEM-BER 2, 2021, TO AUTHORIZE, SUBJECT TO PERMISSIVE REFERENDUM, THE ISSU-ANCE OF AN ADDITIONAL \$2,500,000 BONDS OF THE TOWN OF MONTGOMERY, ORANGE COUNTY, NEW

TO PAY A PORTION OF THE COST OF THE CONSTRUCTION OF A NEW HIGH-WAY GARAGE, IN AND FOR SAID TOWN.

Specific object or purpose: Construction of a new highway garage at 300 River Road, in Walden, New York

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Amount of obligations to be issued: Additional \$2,500,000 bonds

New maximum estimated cost: \$7.000.000

SEQRA: Unlisted Action. Negative Declaration. SEQRA compliance materials on file in the office of the Town Clerk where they may be inspected during regular office #115430 hours by appointment.

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or such obligations were authorized in violation of the provisions of the Constitution.

A complete copy of the resolution summarized herewith is available for public inspection during regular business hours at the Office of the Town Clerk for a period of twenty days from the date of publication of this Notice

Dated: Montgomery, New York, June 13, 2024.

Tara Stickles

Town Clerk

BOND RESOLUTION DATED JUNE 13, 2024

A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE ISSUANCE OF \$2,500,000 BONDS OF THE TOWN OF MONTGOMERY ORANGE COUNTY, NEW YORK, TO PAY THE COST OF THE INCREASE AND IMPROVEMENT OF THE FACILITIES OF SEWER DISTRICT NO 1 IN THE TOWN OF MONTGOMERY. ORANGE COUNTY, NEW YORK

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Amount of obligations to be issued: \$2,500,000 bonds

SEQRA status: Unlisted Action, Negative Declaration. SEQRA compliance materials on file in the office of the Town Clerk where they may be inspected during regular office hours by appointment. #115441

**Orange County** 

335 Upland Ave, LLC, a domestic Limited Liability Company (LLC) filed with the SSNY on 5/6/24: Office Location: Orange County. SSNY designated as agent upon whom process against the LLC may be served. SSNY shall mail copy of process to: 32 Midland Ave, Central Valley, NY, 10917. Purpose: any lawful activities. #115032

96 MURRAY AVENUE, LLC Articles of Org. filed NY Sec. of State (SSNY) 5/22/24. Office in Orange Co. SSNY desig. agent of LLC whom process may be served. SSNY shall mail process to 7 Andrea Ct., Goshen, NY 10924. Purpose: Any lawful purpose. Principal business loc: 96 Murray Ave., Goshen, NY 10924. #115215

97 LAKE STREET, LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 05/31/24. Office: Orange County. SSNY designated as agent of the LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail copy of process to the LLC, 97 Lake Street, Newburgh,

NY 12550. Purpose: Any lawful purpose. #115295

COUNTY OF ORANGE EXECUTIVE ORDER NO. 7 OF 2024 DECLARING A STATE OF EMERGENCY IN ORANGE COUNTY REGARDING TRANS-PORTATION OF PERSONS TO ORANGE COUNTY IN VIOLATION OF STATE LAW

I, Steven M. Neuhaus, County Executive of the County of Orange, State of New York, do hereby declare as an EXECUTIVE ORDER the following:

WHEREAS, to date New York City (hereinafter the "City") has transported 186 homeless persons to Orange County (hereinafter the "County") and has caused two hotels/motels within the County to be converted into illegal homeless shelters; and

WHEREAS, the City has previously represented that it will only pay for such shelter up to a limited date and has no longterm solution for housing their homeless within the County, which is in violation of New York State Social Services Law and related Administrative Orders pertaining thereto: and

WHEREAS, the City has repeatedly failed and refused to adequately address the needs of the homeless population in New York City, and has decided by its actions and inactions to abdicate its duty and responsibility to those homeless persons, necessarily transferring said duties and responsibilities to the County of Orange

County Government, in violation of state law: and

WHEREAS, on May 9, 2023, the State of New York declared a state of emergency as to New York City's homeless population and its inability to adequately house and provide for such persons; and

WHEREAS, there is no reason to believe that the homeless persons presently here will leave Orange County after the City ceases to pay for the short-term housing and any services they are presently receiving; and

WHEREAS, local zoning codes do not allow use of temporary residence hotels or other temporary residence facilities for use as long term residential housing and therefore the City's transportation of homeless persons to the County for that purpose is illegal; and

WHEREAS, through enforcement of local zoning codes, said homeless persons will face refusal, or eviction from the illegal hotels and short-term residential facilities, resulting in an imminent large-scale housing crisis in the County; and

WHEREAS, as all temporary housing shelter beds in Orange County are currently at maximum capacity and cannot accommodate additional homeless individuals; and

WHEREAS, there is a reasonable apprehension of immediate danger of public emergency of potentially thousands of persons being transported to Orange County in violation of state law as referred above, resulting in Orange County being

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responsible for the public safety of these persons and all others affected in Orange County: and

WHEREAS, the County is not capable of receiving and sustaining such volume of homeless persons that the City has, intends to, or hereafter does transport to the County, whose presence will gravely increase the number of people in need of government services across various sectors in the County; and

WHEREAS, the locations to which New York City Mayor Adams has previously transported said homeless persons have inadequate infrastructure to meet the needs of said individuals, including but not limited to transportation to work, food, medical care, and pharmaceutical opportunities; and

WHEREAS, the County anticipates potential civil disobedience and protesting on this issue both for and against the transportation of homeless persons to Orange

WHEREAS, that due to the above circumstances, I find reasonable apprehension of immediate danger thereof that public safety is imperiled thereby, for not only the New York City homeless persons illegally transported to Orange County by New York City, but also to the other affected residents of Orange County; and

WHEREAS, all of the underlying conditions and reasoning for issuing the Emergency Declarations on June 7, 2023, July 6, 2023, August 5, 2023, September 4, 2023, October 3, 2023, November 2, 2023.

Mount Hope Senior Center

December 1, 2023, December 31, 2023, January 30, 2024, February 29, 2024, March 30, 2024 and April 29, 2024 which Emergency Declarations and Executive Order No. 3 of 2023, No. 4 of 2023, No. 8 of 2023 No. 9 of 2023 No. 10 of 2023 No. 12 of 2023. No. 14 of 2023. No. 16 of 2023. No. 1 of 2024. No. 2 of 2024. No. 3 of 2024 and No. 5 of 2024 are incorporated herein. by reference, remain as imminent threats to the County of Orange and the reissuance of an Emergency Declaration is necessary in order to protect life and property.

NOW, THEREFORE, I hereby declare, in order to protect life and property, or to bring the emergency situation under control, a State of Emergency in the County of Orange and make the following ORDER:

I Order that all hotels, motels and/or any facilities allowing short term rentals do not accept individuals transported to Orange County in violation of Social Services Law § 62 and related Administrative Directives of the New York State Office of Temporary and Disability Assistance, including, but not limited to, 06-ADM-07.

This proclamation/declaration and the orders in relation thereto are pursuant to my powers contained within the Orange County Charter (Section 3.02-q) and Administrative Code (Section 3-2-q) and Section 24 of the Executive Law of the State of New York.

I FURTHER FIND that this State of Emergency does not in any way impact travel or County employees or County operations, is not weather related, and does not suspend County operations. This Executive Order and all portions thereof shall take effect immediately, be filed and published as required by law, and individually expire as required by law.

ORDERED this 29th day of May, 2024 Hon. Steven M. Neuhaus Orange County Executive #115405

COUNTY OF ORANGE EXTENSION OF ORDER ASSOCIATED WITH EXECUTIVE ORDER NO. 7 OF 2024 DECLARING A STATE OF EMERGENCY IN ORANGE COUNTY REGARDING TRANS-PORTATION OF PERSONS TO ORANGE

COUNTY IN VIOLATION OF STATE LAW I, Steven M. Neuhaus, County Executive of the County of Orange, State of New York, do hereby:

Extend the Order made by Executive Order No. 7 of 2024, ordering that all hotels, motels and/or any facilities allowing short term rentals do not accept individuals transported to Orange County in violation of Social Services Law § 62 and related Administrative Directives of the New York State Office of Temporary and Disability Assistance, including, but not limited to, 06-ADM-07 as described in Executive Order No. 7 of 2024. Such Order shall be extended until the maximum time permitted by law.

This order is pursuant to my powers contained within the Orange County Charter (Section 3.02- q) and Administrative Code (Section 3-2-q) and Section 24 of the Executive Law of the State of New York.

ORDERED this 3rd day of June, 2024 Hon. Steven M. Neuhaus Orange County Executive #115406

COUNTY OF ORANGE EXTENSION OF ORDER ASSOCIATED WITH EXECUTIVE ORDER NO. 7 OF 2024 DECLARING A STATE OF EMERGENCY IN ORANGE COUNTY REGARDING TRANS-PORTATION OF PERSONS TO ORANGE COUNTY IN VIOLATION OF STATE LAW

I, Steven M. Neuhaus, County Executive of the County of Orange, State of New York, do hereby:

Extend the Order made by Executive Order No. 7 of 2024, ordering that all hotels, motels and/or any facilities allowing short term rentals do not accept individuals transported to Orange County in violation of Social Services Law § 62 and related Administrative Directives of the New York State Office of Temporary and Disability Assistance, including, but not limited to. 06-ADM-07 as described in Executive Order No. 7 of 2024. Such Order shall be extended until the maximum time permitted by law.

This order is pursuant to my powers contained within the Orange County Charter (Section 3.02- q) and Administrative Code (Section 3-2-q) and Section 24 of the Executive Law of the State of New York.

ORDERED this 8th day of June, 2024 Hon. Steven M. Neuhaus Orange County Executive #115407

EIGHTEEN11 LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 06/10/2024. Office loc: Orange County. SSNY has been designated as agent upon whom process against the LLC may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: The LLC, 26 Rea Ct, Monroe, NY 12304. Purpose: Any Lawful Purpose. #115439

LITTLE LUMBERJACK LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 05/30/24. Office: Orange County. SSNY designated as agent of the LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail copy of process to the LLC. 2842 Route 94. Washingtonville, NY 10992. Purpose: Any lawful #115278 purpose.

NBNY PIZZA, LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 05/22/24. Office: Orange County. SSNY designated as agent of the LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail copy of process to the LLC, 60 D'Alfonso Road, Newburgh, NY 12550. Purpose: Any lawful purpose. #115193

Notice of Formation of OFISHALLY LLC. Articles of Orginization were filed with SSNY on 05/07/2024. The county in which the Office is located: Orange, The SSNY is designated as agent of LLC upon whom process may be served. The address to which the SSNY shall mail any process against the LLC is: 30 Valley Ave, Central Valley, NY 10917. Purpose: Any Lawful Activi-#115030

Notice of Formation of TreChiodi Development LLC, a domestic limited liability company (LLC). Articles of Organization were filed with the Secretary of State of New York (SSNY) on 5/5/2024. The LLC is located in Orange County. The SSNY is designated as agent upon whom process against the LLC may be served. SSNY shall mail a copy of any process to the office location: 626 East Main Street, Middletown, NY 10940. Purpose: to engage in any lawful act or activity. #115033

Notice of Formation of Saona Home Services LLC a domestic Limited Liability Company (LLC). Articles of Organization were filed with the Secretary of State of NY (SSNY) on 5/7/2024. Office location: Orange County. SSNY is designated as agent upon whom process against the LLC may be served. SSNY shall mail a copy of any process to: 305 Aristotle Dr, Maybrook,

Orange County Primary Election Notice

Pursuant to the Provisions of Section 4-118.2 of New York State Election Law, NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that on Tuesday, June 25, 2024 a Primary Election will be held in the County

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Chester	All Districts
Cornwall	All Districts
Crawford	All Districts
Deerpark	All Districts
Goshen	All Districts
Greenville	All Districts
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Highlands	All Districts
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City of Middletown	Ward 1 - Districts 3, 4, 5 & 6
City of Middletown	Ward 2 - Districts 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6 & 7
City of Middletown	Ward 3 - Districts 1, 2 & 4 Ward 3 - Districts 3, 5 & 6
City of Middletown	Ward 4 - Districts 6, 7 & 8 Ward 4 — Districts 1, 3, 4 & 5
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of Orange, State of New York for the Democratic, Republican and Conservative parties. Location Blooming Grove Senior Center 6 Horton Rd, Blooming Grove Chester Senior Center 81 Laroe Rd, Chester Village Hall 325 Hudson St, Cornwall on Hudson Crawford Senior Center 115 St Rte 302. Pine Bush Deernark Senior Center 410 Rte. 209, Huguenot Caroline Building (former OC Dept of Social Services) 23 Hatfield Lane, Goshen Greenville Town Hall Senior 1537 Us Highway 6, Port Jervis Hamptonburgh Senior Center 18 Bull Rd, Campbell Hall Fort Montgomery Fire House 865 Rte 9W, Fort Montgomery Monhagen Hose Company #1 Central Fire House 89 E Main Street, Middletown St. Joseph's Gymnasium (Foyer) 113 Cottage St, Middletown Middletown Senior Center (Downstairs) 62-70 W. Main St, Middletown SUNY Orange -George Shephard Center 115 South St, Middletown First Congregational Church 35 E Main Street, Middletown Minisink Town Hall 20 Roy Smith Dr, Westtown Monroe Town Hall 1465 Orange Tpke, Monroe

11 Baker St Otisville New Windsor All Districts New Windsor Community Center 555 Union Ave New Windsor Palm Tree All Districts Keren Plaza Banquet Hall -Upstairs Port Jervis/City All Districts Tuxedo All Districts Wallkill Ward 1 - Districts 1 & 7 Wallkill Ward 1 - Districts 2 & 3 Wallkill Ward 1 - Districts 4 & 6 Ward 2 - Districts 1, 2, 3, 6 & 7 Wallkill Ward 1 - District 5 Ward 2 - Districts 4 & 5 Ward 3 - District 2 Wallkill Ward 3 - Districts 1, 3 & 4 Ward 3 - Districts 5, 6 & 7 Wallkill Wallkill Ward 4 - Districts 1 & 5 Church Wallkill Ward 4 - Districts 2 & 3 Wallkill Ward 4 - District 4 Districts 1 - 9, 12, 13, 15 - 17, Warwick 20 - 24, 26 - 31 Districts 10, 11, 14, 18, 19 & 25 Warwick All Districts Wawayanda Woodbury All Districts

55 Forest Road Monroe City Hall (Meeting Room) 20 Hammond Street, Port Jervis Tuxedo Town Hall 1 Temple Drive, Tuxedo Circleville Church 890 Goshen Tpke, Circleville Circleville Fire House 2147 St Rte 302, Circleville Wallkill Community Center 8 West Warren Dr, Middletown Wallkill Town Hall 99 Tower Drive Middletown Silver Lake Fire House (Bay 1) 26 Maltese Dr, Middletown Mechanicstown Fire House 18 Victory Street, Middletown Christian Faith Fellowship Family 510 M &M Road, Middletown Washington Heights Fire House 10 Ohio Place, Middletown American Legion 185 Wawayanda Ave, Middletown Warwick Senior Center 132 Kings Hwy, Warwick American Legion Post 1443 40 Mountain Lake Ln, Greenwood Lake Wawayanda Senior Center 1906 State Rte 284, Slate Hill

Woodbury Senior Center 16 County Rte 105, Highland Mills Polls will be open from 6 a.m. to 9 p.m. on Election day. Early Voting will be held June 15, 2024 through June 23, 2024. To find your Early Voting location and hours please visit our website at: www.orangecountygov.com/elections. Copies of the ballot may be obtained at the office of the Board of Elections, 75 Webster Ave., Goshen, at the polls during Early Voting,

or on Election day. All polling sites are handicapped accessible. If you need additional infor-

mation send an email to: elections@orangecountygov.com. Or call us at: (845) 360-6500 / (888) 879-7655

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NY 12543. Purpose: to engage in any lawful act or activity. #115037

Notice of Formation of Raw K9 Meat, LLC. Articles of Orginization were filed with SSNY on 02/28/2024. The county in which the Office is located: Orange, The SSNY is designated as agent of LLC upon whom process may be served. The address to which the SSNY shall mail any process against the LLC is: 2679 Route 302 Middletown, NY 10941. Purpose: Any Lawful Activity. #15062

Notice of formation of THE INDEPEND-ENT PLAY COMPANY LLC. Art. Of Org. filed with the Sect'y of State of NY (SSNY) on 05/20/24. Office in Orange County. SSNY has been designated as agent of the LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to the LLC, 141 BREEZE HILL RD NEW HAMPTON, NY, 10958. Purpose: Any lawful purpose #115174

Notice of Formation of 34 DECKER ESTATES LLC. Articles of Organization were filled with SSNY on 05/20/2024. The county in which the Office is located: Orange, The SSNY is designated as agent of LLC upon whom process may be served. The address to which the SSNY shall mail any process against the LLC is: 18 Prag Blvd #401 Monroe, NY 10950. Purpose: Any Lawful Activity.

Notice of Formation of MILDRED SALAS PHOTOGRAPHY LLC. Articles of Organization were filed with SSNY on 05/20/2024. The county in which the Office is located: Orange, The SSNY is designated as agent of LLC upon whom process may be served. The address to which the SSNY shall mail any process against the LLC is: 18 Ona Lane, New Windsor, NY 12553. Purpose: Any Lawful Activity, Photography.

Notice of Formation of Limited Liability Company (LLC). Name: ADLUGO LLC. Articles of Organization filed with Secretary of State of New York (SSNY) on May 22, 2024. Office location: Orange County, NY. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. The LLC address to which SSNY shall mail process 14 Spruce Hill Lane, Goshen NY 10924. Purpose: Amy lawful purpose. #1590

Notice of Formation of Homegrown Littles LLC, a domestic limited liability company (LLC). Articles of Organization were filed with the Secretary of State of New York (SSNY) on 5/23/2024. The LLC is located in Orange County. The SSNY is designated as agent upon whom process against the LLC may be served. SSNY shall mail a copy of any process to the office location: 544 Drexel Drive, Pine Bush, NY 12566. Purpose: to engage in any lawful act or activity. #115198

Notice of Formation of Revel Ranch LLC, a domestic limited liability company (LLC). Articles of Organization were filed with the Secretary of State of New York (SSNY) on 8/02/2021. The LLC is located in Orange County. The SSNY is designated as agent upon whom process against the LLC may be served. SSNY shall mail a copy of any process to the office location: 544

Drexel Drive, Pine Bush, NY 12566. Purpose: to engage in any lawful act or activity.

Notice of Formation of SAMAKI NY LLC. Articles of Organization were filed with SSNY on 05/30/2024. The county in which the Office is located: Orange, The SSNY is designated as agent of LLC upon whom process may be served. The address to which the SSNY shall mail any process against the LLC is: 11 Catskill High Rail, Monroe, NY 10950. Purpose: Any Lawful Activity.

Notice of Formation of SAMAKI HOLD-INGS LLC. Articles of Organization were filed with SSNY on 05/30/2024. The county in which the Office is located: Orange, The SSNY is designated as agent of LLC upon whom process may be served. The address to which the SSNY shall mail any process against the LLC is: 11 Catskill High Rail, Monroe, NY 10950. Purpose: Any Lawful Activity. #115274

Notice of Formation of BE METHOD LLC. Articles of Organization were filed with SSNY on 05/10/2024. The county in which the Office is located: Orange, The SSNY is designated as agent of LLC upon whom process may be served. The address to which the SSNY shall mail any process against the LLC is: 207 Parr Meadow Drive, Newburgh, NY 12550. Purpose: Any Lawful Activity. #115283

Notice of Formation of IVAN THE ART OF LAWN CARE LLC, a domestic Limited Liability Company (LLC). Articles of Organization were filed with the Secretary of State of NY (SSNY) on 6/3/24. Office location: Orange County. SSNY is designated as agent upon whom process against the LLC may be served. SSNY shall mail a copy of any process to: 257 THIRD STREET, NEW-BURGH, NY, 12550. Purpose: to engage in any lawful act or activity.

Notice of Formation of DJSIII SOJOURN LLC. Articles of Organization were filed with SSNY on 04/24/2024. The county in which the Office is located: Orange, The SSNY is designated as agent of LLC upon whom process may be served. The address to which the SSNY shall mail any process against the LLC is: 14 Clarkwood Drive, Cornwall, NY 12518. Purpose: Any Lawful Activity. #15306

Notice of Formation of OTC TRUCK-ING LLC. Articles of Organization were filed with SSNY on 05/07/2024. The county in which the Office is located: Orange, The SSNY is designated as agent of LLC upon whom process may be served. The address to which the SSNY shall mail any process against the LLC is: 10 Ted Miller Dr, Maybrook, NY 12543. Purpose: Any Lawful Activity. #15307

Notice of Formation of SHRINE TO PROVIDENCE, LLC. Articles of Organization were filed with SSNY on 04/23/202. The county in which the Office is located: Orange, The SSNY is designated as agent of LLC upon whom process may be served. The address to which the SSNY shall mail any process against the LLC is: 47 Wellington Dr, Apt 8, New Windsor, NY 12553. Purpose: Any Lawful Activity. #115329

Notice of Formation of PDB JERKY LLC. Articles of Organization were filed with SSNY on 06/05/2024. The county in which the Office is located: Orange, The SSNY is designated as agent of LLC upon whom process may be served. The address to which the SSNY shall mail any process against the LLC is: 10A Union Street, Montgomery, NY 12549. Purpose: Any Lawful Activity. #15336

NOTICE OF FORMATION OF RAD-CLIFF 5 LLC. Articles of Organization filed with the Secretary of State of NY (SSNY) on June 4, 2024. Office location: Orange County. SSNY is designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail copy of process to the LLC, 34 Lake Road, Salisbury Mills, NY 12577. #115339

Notice of formation of NATALIE PAWELEK, LLC. Art. Of Org. filed with the Secty of State of NY (SSNY) on 12/21/23. Office in Orange County. SSNY has been designated as agent of the LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to the LLC, 80 CLINTON ST NEWBURGH, NY, 12550. Purpose: Any lawful purpose #15411

Notice of Formation of HAVERS, LLC (LLC). Arts. of Org. filed with the Sect'y of State of NY (SSNY) on 5/24/2024. Office Location: Orange County. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail copy of process to: the LLC, 80 Pea Hill Road, New Windsor, NY 12553. Purpose: any lawful activity.

Notice of Formation of Limited Liability Company (LLC). Name: 428 ROUTE 17M LLC. Articles of Organization filed with Secretary of State of New York (SSNY) on June 4, 2024. Office location: Orange County, NY. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. The LLC address to which SSNY shall mail process is 265 Route 211 East, Suite 111, Middletown NY 10940. Purpose: Any lawful purpose. #115414

Notice of Formation of ATLI Holdings II LLC. Articles of Organization were filled with SSNY on 06/13/2024. The county in which the Office is located: Orange, The SSNY is designated as agent of LLC upon whom process may be served. The address to which the SSNY shall mail any process against the LLC is: Jeffrey Lyons PO Box 345, Montgomery, NY 12549. Purpose: Any Lawful Activity. #115457

### NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING ON LOCAL LAW

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that there has been presented to the County Executive of the County of Orange on June 10, 2024, a Local Law, a summary of which reads as follows:

Local Law Introductory No. 1 of 2024 Local Law Introductory No. 1 of 2024 is a local law which amends and restates Local Law No. 8 of 2007, as previously amended by Local Law No. 2 of 2011 and Local Law No. 11 of 2013, known as the Electrical Licensing Law. The Law establishes the Electrical Licensing Board and outlines the qualifications, examination, licensing and regulation for Electricians in Orange County, New York.

This Local Law shall take effect upon completion of the requisite filings pursuant to Section 27 of the Municipal Home Rule Law.

Therefore, pursuant to Section 20 of the Municipal Home Rule Law, the County Executive of the County of Orange will hold a public hearing on the aforesaid Local Law at 255 Main Street, County Executive's Office, 3 rd Floor, Goshen, New York, on the 27th day of June, 2024, at thi30 o'clock in the morning of that day, at which time all persons interested therein will be heard.

A true copy of said local law is on file in the Office of the Clerk of the Orange County Legislature, 255 Main Street, Goshen, New York, 10924.

, 10924. Dated: June 10, 2024 Steven M. Neuhaus County Executive Goshen, New York 10924

P C Med Center, LLC, a domestic Limited Liability Company (LLC) filed with the SSNY on 5/22/24; Office Location: Orange County. SSNY designated as agent upon whom process against the LLC may be served. SSNY shall mail copy of process to: 251 Reservoir Rd, Goshen, NY, 10924. Purpose: any lawful activities.

Peony Properties, LLC Articles of Organization filed NY Sec. of State (SSNY) 06/04/2024. Office in Orange County. SSNY designated as Agent of the LLC upon whom process may be served. SSNY shall mail copy of process to the LLC at 1606 Mountain Rd Middletown, NY 10940. Purpose: Any lawful activity. #115335

SIX FOR 6 LLC Articles of Org. filed NY Sec. of State (SSNY) 5/30/24. Office in Orange Co. SSNY desig. agent of LLC whom process may be served. SSNY shall mail process to 2 Apple Ct., Rock Tavern, NY 12575, which is also the principal business location. Purpose: Any lawful purpose. #115275

THE LEGACY ARMS LLC Articles of Org. filed NY Sec. of State (SSNY) 5/30/24. Office in Orange Co. SSNY desig. agent LLC whom process may be served. SSNY shall mail process to 7 Andrea Ct., Goshen, NY 10924. Purpose: Any lawful purpose. Principal business loc: 4 New St., Goshen, NY 10924. ##15330

TITAN INNOVATIVE LLC, Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 06/11/2024. Office loc: Orange County. SSNY has been designated as agent upon whom process against the LLC may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: The LLC, 26 Rea Ct, Monroe, NY 12304. Purpose: Any Lawful Purpose. #115436

TOTAL TRANSPARENCY, LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 05/20/24. Office: Orange County. SSNY designated as agent of the LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail copy of process to the LLC, 8 Farm Hollow Road, New Windsor, NY 12553. Purpose: Any lawful purpose.

VUMBA LLC Articles of Org. filed NY Sec. of State (SSNY) 5/23/24.

Office in Orange Co. SSNY desigagent of LLC whom process may be served. SSNY shall mail process to 16 Chester Acres Blvd., Chester, NY 10918, which is also the principal business location. Purpose: Any lawful purpose. #115216

### **Pine Bush Fire District**

Pine Bush Fire District Legal Notice

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that at a regular meeting of the Board of Fire Commissioners of the Pine Bush Fire District of the Town of Crawford, Orange County, New York, held on June 12, 2024, a resolution was adopted, an abstract of which is as follows:

RESOLVED that the Treasurer of the Fire District be authorized to withdraw an amount not to exceed the sum of SIX THOUSAND DOLLARS and ZERO CENTS (\$6,000.00) from the Fire Alarm System Capital Reserve Fund heretofore established for the purchase of the same.

PLEASE TAKE FURTHER NOTICE that the adoption of this resolution is subject to permissive referendum and shall take effect thirty (30) days after its adoption, unless there shall be filed in the interim with the Fire District Secretary a petition signed and acknowledged or approved in the same manner as a deed to be recorded by resident taxpayers of the Pine Bush Fire District owning taxable real property of the aggregating at least one-quarter of the Fire District, as such valuations appear on the latest completed assessment roll of the Town of Crawford, protesting against such resolution and requesting that it be submitted to the qualified electors of the Fire District for their approval

DANIEL WITTENBERG, SECRETARY PINE BUSH FIRE DISTRICT

#115454

### **Plattekill Fire District**

Plattekill Fire District

P.O. Box 219 Plattekill New York 12586

Notice is hereby given there will be a Budget Workshop Meeting Held on July 16 th 2024 at 6:30pm for the Plattekill Fire District of the Town of Newburgh, Orange County and the Town of Plattekill, Ulster County, State of New York 50 Firehouse Rd Wallkill, NY

This notification is being given to the news media pursuant to the provisions of section 94 of the Public Officer Law of the State of New York.

All Plattekill Fire District residents are welcome to attend.

By order of the Board of Fire Commissioners of the Plattekill Fire District

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Secretary

Board of Fire Commissioners

#115415

### Town of Shawangunk

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that pursuant to Article 16 of the Town Law and the Zoning Law of the Town of Shawangunk, as amended, the following Public Hearing will be held by the Planning Board of the Town of Shawangunk, County of Ulster, State of New York on "Tuesday", July 2, 2024 at 7:00 p.m. or as soon thereafter as the matters can be heard at the Town Office Building, 14 Central Avenue, Wallkill, New York, for the purpose of considering the following applications and for the conducting of any other business that may come before the Board:

PUBLIC HEÁRING Application:

Mr. Joseph Russek Third Generation Homes (Applicant No. 2023-14): SBL: 104.1-3-27, 2.4 acres, Property Class: Vacant, District: Small Business (SB), Address: Corner of Weed Road and NYS Route 52 in Walker

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Additional access available to review plans for projects is located on the Town Web Site at www.shawangunk.org under Legal Notices.

Mark Watkins, Chair, Town of Shawangunk Planning Board

### Town of Newburgh

TOWN OF NEWBURGH ZONING BOARD OF APPEALS MEETING NOTICE NOTICE OF HEARING

NOTICE is hereby given that, pursuant to Section 267-a (1) of the Town Law, State of New York and Section 185-55A (1) of the Zoning Ordinances of the Town of Newburgh, a Public Hearing will be held by the Zoning Board of Appeals of the Town of Newburgh, New York on Thursday the 27th day of June, 2024 at 7:00 P.M., in the Town

Hall, 1496 Route 300, Town of Newburgh, New York, to act upon the following appeal:

APPLICATION of Colette Drouin, Faith Drouin and Nicholas Torraca for area variances of lot area, lot width, lot depth, front yard, rear yard, one side yard, combined side yards and lot surface coverage to build a new single family dwelling.

PREMISES LOCATED at Spencer Ave 51-2-13.2 R1 Zone in the Town of Newburgh, New York

TAKE NOTICE that the applicant should appear at the hearing and all persons interested in any way may appear and be heard by the Board.

BY ORDER of the Zoning Board of Appeals dated the 11th day of June, 2024.

### TOWN OF NEWBURGH ZONING BOARD OF APPEALS MEETING NOTICE NOTICE OF HEARING

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APPLICATION of William D Lynn for area variances of the minimum front yard setback, maximum building lot coverage, surface lot coverage and increasing the degree of non-conformity of one side yard and the combined side vards to build a 22' x 26' front yard attached garage.

PREMISES LOCATED at 48 O'Dell Cir 51-1-24 R1 Zone in the Town of Newburgh, New York

TAKE NOTICE that the applicant should appear at the hearing and all persons interested in any way may appear and be heard by the Board.

BY ORDER of the Zoning Board of Appeals dated the 11th day of June ,2024.

### TOWN OF NEWBURGH ZONING BOARD OF APPEALS MEETING NOTICE NOTICE OF HEARING

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APPLICATION of Deanna and John Saunders for area variances of the minimum front yard setback, maximum allowed building coverage, maximum allowed surface coverage and increasing the degree of non-conformity of one side yard and combined side yards to build a 12' x 37' rear addition, convert the garage into habitable space and build a 6' x 16' front porch.

PREMISES LOCATED at 23 Briarwood Crescent 88-3-8 R1 Zone in the Town of Newburgh, New York.

TAKE NOTICE that the applicant should appear at the hearing and all persons interested in any way may appear and be heard by the Board.

BY ORDER of the Zoning Board of Appeals dated the 11th day of June, 2024.

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APPLICATION of Larry Simmons for (A) an area variance of increasing the degree of non-conformity of the setback and height to raise the roof 2 ft on an existing accessory building in the front yard and (B) increasing the degree of non-conformity of one side yard and the combined side yards to add a second floor to a non-conforming dwelling.

PREMISES LOCATED at 329 Lakeside Rd 50-1-6 R1 Zone in the Town of Newburgh, New York.

TAKE NOTICE that the applicant should appear at the hearing and all persons interested in any way may appear and he heard by the Board

BY ORDER of the Zoning Board of Appeals dated the 11th day of June, 2024. #115449

### TOWN OF NEWBURGH ZONING BOARD OF APPEALS MEETING NOTICE NOTICE OF HEARING

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APPLICATION of Jason Tuvel of Prime and Tuvel (Planning Board Referral) for area variances of a gasoline station located within 1,000 ft of an existing gasoline station, a front yard landscaping buffer of 23.1 ft where 45 ft is required, maximum allowed free standing signs ( 2 is proposed 1 is permitted) and maximum allowed building signage (150 sf is proposed 75 sf is the maximum allowed).

PREMISES LÓCATED at 2 Lakeside Rd 86-1-39.3 IB Zone in the Town of Newburgh,

TAKE NOTICE that the applicant should appear at the hearing and all persons interested in any way may appear and be heard by the Board.

BY ORDER of the Zoning Board of Appeals dated the 11th day of June, 2024.

### TOWN OF NEWBURGH ZONING BOARD OF APPEALS MEETING NOTICE NOTICE OF HEARING

NOTICE is hereby given that, pursuant to Section 267-a (1) of the Town Law, State of New York and Section 185-55A (1) of the Zoning Ordinances of the Town of Newburgh, a Public Hearing will be held by the Zoning Board of Appeals of the Town of Newburgh, New York on Thursday the 27th day of June, 2024 at 7:00 P.M., in the Town Hall, 1496 Route 300, Town of Newburgh, New York, to act upon the following appeal:

APPLICATION of FK Dant LLC 32 Express (Planning Board Referral) for a Special Permit to replace an existing convenience store structure with a new 3600 square foot convenience store. The structure is a pre-existing non-conforming use in the RR Zone.

PREMISES LOCATED at 689 Route 32 4-2-6 RR Zone in the Town of Newburgh,

TAKE NOTICE that the applicant should appear at the hearing and all persons interested in any way may appear and be heard by the Board.

BY ORDER of the Zoning Board of Appeals dated the 11th day of June, 2024.

### TOWN OF NEWBURGH ZONING BOARD OF APPEALS MEETING NOTICE NOTICE OF HEARING

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APPLICATION of Lawrence Realty Co Inc and Raymond and Marjorie Bianco (Planning Board Referral) for area variances of the front yard and maximum lot surface coverage on a pre-existing lot for a lot line change between lots 6-1-66.21 & 6-1-66.32.

PREMISES LOCATED at 37 & 39 Colandrea Rd 6-1-66.21 & 6-1-66.32 AR Zone in the Town of Newburgh New York

TAKE NOTICE that the applicant should appear at the hearing and all persons interested in any way may appear and be heard by the Board.

BY ORDER of the Zoning Board of Appeals dated the 11th day of June, 2024. #115452

### TOWN OF NEWBURGH ZONING BOARD OF APPEALS MEETING NOTICE NOTICE OF HEARING

NOTICE is hereby given that, pursuant to Section 267-a (1) of the Town Law. State of New York and Section 185-55A (1) of the Zoning Ordinances of the Town of Newburgh, a Public Hearing will be held by the Zoning Board of Appeals of the Town of Newburgh New York on Thursday the 27th day of June 2024 at 7:00 PM in the Town Hall, 1496 Route 300, Town of Newburgh, New York, to act upon the following appeal:

APPLICATION of N&N Union LLC and CPK Union LLC (Planning Board Referral) for area variances of the maximum height 40' is proposed where 15' is allowed, the rear yard setback where 40' is required and 30' is proposed, building orientation and building materials to build a new Self Storage Center on the lot.

PREMISES LOCATED at Route 300 96-1-6.2 IB Zone in the Town of Newburgh, New York

TAKE NOTICE that the applicant should appear at the hearing and all persons interested in any way may appear and be heard by the Board.

BY ORDER of the Zoning Board of Appeals dated the 11th day of June, 2024.

**Ulster County** 

Notice Is Hereby Given Pursuant to Section 4-120 of the Election Law of the State of New York that the following Polling Places are open for the Democratic, Republican and Conservative State/Local Primary Election on Tuesday, June 25, 2024 from 6am to 9pm: Town/City District Polling Site Street Town/State City/Kingston W 1 Dists 1, 2 & 3 Harry Edson School 116 Merilina Ave Kingston NY W 2 Dists 1 & 2 St. Joseph's School 235 Wall St Kingston NY W 2 Dist 3 & 4 St John's Episcopal Church 207 Albany Ave Kingston NY W 3 Dists 1, 2, 3 George Washington School 67 Wall St Kingston NY **Everett Hodge Community Center** W 4 Dists 1 & 2 15 Franklin St Kingston NY W 5 Dists 1, 2 & 3 Midtown Neighborhood Center 467 Broadway Kingston NY UARC W 6 Dist 1 471 Albany Ave Kingston NY W 6 Dists 2 & 3 Birchwood Village Com. Room 161 Colonial Drive Kingston NY W 7 Dists 1.2 & 3 Midtown Neighborhood Center 467 Broadway Kingston NY W 8 Dist 1 2 & 3 John F Kennedy School 107 Gross St Kingston NY Midtown Neighborhood Center W 9 Dists 1.2 & 3 Kingston NY 467 Broadway Esopus Town Hall 1 Town Hall Way Esopus Dists 1. 2. 5 & 6 Port Ewen NY 1142 Rte 9W Esonus Firehouse Esopus NY Dist 3 & 7 Rifton Firehouse 23 Manle St Rifton NY Dist 4 Dists 1 & 3 Gardine Gardiner Firehouse 2349 Rte 44-55 Gardiner NY Dists 2 & 4 Gardiner Town Hall 2340 Rte 44-55 Gardiner NY Hurley West Hurley Firehouse Dists 1, 3, 5 & 7 24 Wall St West Hurley NY Dists 2, 4, 6 & 8 Hurley Town Hall 10 Wamsley Pl Hurley NY Town of Dist 1 Town of Kingston Town Hall 906 Sawkill Rd Kingston Kingston NY 320 Pancake Hlw Rd Dist 1 Highland High School Highland NY Lloyd Dists 1 & 7 Marbletown Marbletown Town Hall 1925 Lucas TPKE Cottekill NY Dist 2 Lomontville Firehouse 2394 Hurley Mtn Rd. Kingston NY Dists 3 & 5 Marbletown Community Center 3564 Main St Stone Ridge NY Dist 4 Kripplebush-Lyonsville Firehouse 519 Pine Bush Rd Stone Ridge NY Dist 6 Marbletown Sportman's Club 95 Scarawan Rd Stone Ridge NY 92 Huguenot St. New Paltz NY

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139 Liberty St

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2024 John P. Quigley, President Ashley Torres, Secretary #115418

Dists 1, 4, 7 & 8

Dist 2

Dists 3 & 6

Woodstock

Woodstock Community Center

Lake Hill Firehouse

Zena Firehouse

### Town of Wallkill

TOWN OF WALLKILL PLANNING BOARD NOTICE OF PUBLIC **HEARING** 

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that on Wednesday, the 3 rd day of July 2024, at 7:00 pm, or as soon thereafter as the matter can be heard, there will be a Public Hearing conducted by the Planning Board of the Town of Wallkill at the Town Hall at 99 Tower Dr, Building A, Middletown, NY on the application of Bry-Jen, LLC for Site Plan and Special Use Permit approval under Sections 249-38 & 249-40 of the Town Code to construct and/or operate an office/equipment Storage area on the premises located at 244 Bloomingburg Rd. which premises is located in the Town of Wallkill, Orange County and identified on the Town's Tax Maps as Section 14 of Block 1, Tax Lot 33.11.

All parties of interest will be heard at such time and place.

The public hearing will be held in person only. Members of the public may attend the meeting in person to offer comment during the public hearing.

Please contact the Planning Board Secretary at 845-692-7814 or email planning@townofwallkill.com if you have any questions relative to attending the meeting.

Please check the town's website for any undated information as it will be posted on the Town's web page: https://www.townofwallkill com

> GARY WIAKE CHAIRMAN

#115404

TOWN OF WALLKILL PLANNING BOARD NOTICE OF PUBLIC **HEARING** 

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that on Wednesday, the 3 day of July, 2024, at 7:00 pm, or as soon thereafter as the matter can be heard, there will be a Public Hearing conducted by the Planning Board of the Town of Wallkill at the Town Hall at 99 Tower Dr. Buildina A.

Middletown, NY on the application of NY Wallkill 1, LLC as applicant and Delaware River Solar Real Estates LLC as property owner, for Site Plan and Special Use Permit approval under Sections 249-38, 249-39. 249-391 249-40 & 249-114 of the Town Code to construct and/or operate a Community Utility Solar Development Project on the premises located at State 758 Route 211 West and 30 New Vernon Road, Middletown, which premises is located in the Town of Wallkill. Orange County and identified on the Town's Tax Maps as Section 32 of Block 1. Tax Lot 76.

All parties of interest will be heard at such time and place.

The public hearing will be held in person only. Members of the public may attend the meeting in person to offer comment during the public hearing.

Please contact the Planning Board Secretary at 845-692-7814 or email planning@townofwallkill.com if you have any questions relative to attending the meeting.

Please check the town's website for any updated information as it will be posted on the Town's web page: https://www.town-

GARY W. LAKE CHAIRMAN

### **Ulster County**

Notice of formation of a domestic Limited Liability Company ("LLC"). WILD TUR-KEY CAMP LLC with its principal business location at Ulster County, New York, filed Articles of Organization with the Secretary of State of New York on May 8, 2024. The Secretary of State of New York has been designated as agent of the LLC upon whom process against it may be served. The LLC address to which the Secretary of State of New York shall mail process is 589 Wild Meadow Road, Clarvville, New York 12757. The purpose of the LLC is to engage in any lawful act or activity for which limited liability companies may be formed. #115059

Notice of Formation of URSA Brothers LLC. Articles of Organization were filed with SSNY on 05/13/2024. The county in which the Office is located: Ulster, The SSNY is designated as agent of LLC upon whom process may be served. The address to which the SSNY shall mail any process against the LLC is: 40 Phillips Avenue, Highland, NY 12528. Purpose: Any Lawful Activi-#115119

Notice of Formation of KORL Security and Consulting LLC, Arts. of Org. filed with SSNY on 5/15/24. Office location: Ulster County. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process may be served. SSNY shall mail process to 33 Lisa Lane, Kingston, New York 12401. Purpose: any lawful act or activity #115133

Notice of Formation of The Edge at Wallkill River LLC. Articles of Organization were filed with SSNY on 04/06/2024. The county in which the Office is located: Ulster, The SSNY is designated as agent of LLC upon whom process may be served. The address to which the SSNY shall mail any process against the LLC is: 689 Albany Post Road, New Paltz, NY 12561. Purpose: Any Lawful Activity. #115297

Notice of Formation of SEVEN EIGHT PARK LLC. Articles of Organization were filed with SSNY on 04/26/2024. The county in which the Office is located: Ulster, The SSNY is designated as agent of LLC upon whom process may be served. The address to which the SSNY shall mail any process against the LLC is: 280 Buck Road, Stone Ridge, NY 12484. Purpose: Any Lawful Activ-#115326

Notice of Formation of NECTAR ORGANIC COFFEE, LLC, Articles of Organization were filed with SSNY on 05/29/2003. The county in which the Office is located: Ulster, The SSNY is designated as agent of LLC upon whom process may be served.

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The address to which the SSNY shall mail any process against the LLC is: 1967 Wehrle dr, Ste 1 #86, Buffalo NY 14221. Purpose: Any Lawful Activity.

Notice of Formation of Handmade by Meredith, LLC (LLC). Arts. of Org. filed with the Sect'y of State of NY (SSNY) on 5/23/2024. Office Location: Ulster County. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail copy of process to: the LLC, 123 Patura Road, Modena, NY 12548. Purpose: any lawful activity. #115409

Notice of Formation of Phoenix Love Holdings LLC. Articles of Organization were filed with SSNY on 06/15/2024. The county in which the Office is located: Ulster. The SSNY is designated as agent of LLC upon whom process may be served. The address to which the SSNY shall mail any process against the LLC is: 5 Lavender Lane, Mt Tremper, NY 12457. Purpose: Any Lawful #115455 Activity.

Notice of Presidential Primary Election: Pursuant to section 4-118 of the New York State Flection Law notice is hereby given that a State/Local Primary Election will be held in Ulster County on Tuesday, June 25, 2024.

Hours for voting are 6:00AM to 9:00PM. Early Voting Centers will also be open for eligible registered

Democratic and Republican voters from June 15, 2024 - June 23, 2024.

The Public Offices to be voted for are as follows:

Democratic Party Voters will select: NYS Assembly District 103 Democratic Primary (Vote for 1) (City of Kingston, Esopus, Gardiner, Hurley, Town of Kingston, Marbletown, New Paltz, Olive, Rosendale, Saugerties, Town of Ulster, and Woodstock)

Town of Hurley Democratic Primary for Town Clerk/Tax Collector, Town Council Person (Vote for 2), Hurley Democratic Committee Primary Districts 1-8 (Vote for 2)

Town of Saugerties Democratic Committee Primary Districts 7, 12, and 13 (Vote

Republican Party Voters will select: Town of Shawangunk Town Justice Republican Primary (Vote for 1)

Conservative Party Voters will select: Town of Lloyd Conservative Committee Primary District 1 (Vote for 2)

Notice is further given,

Any voter wishing for copies of sample ballots may contact the Ulster County Board of Elections, 79 Hurley Ave., Suite 112, Kingston, New York 12401 or visit VoteUlster.com for sample ballots and polling locations.

Given under the hands of the Commissioners of Election and the Seal of the County of Ulster Board of Elections on, June

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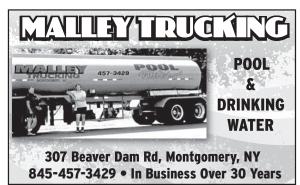
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# Safe Harbors plans a 'Pride on the Green' celebration

By ELLA CONNORS

n honor of Pride Month, the Safe Harbors green will turn rainbow on June 23 as Safe Harbors of the Hudson hosts its first annual Pride on the Green celebration.

To begin the day's festivities, there will be a sidewalk procession starting at 11:30 a.m. from the Newburgh Brewing Company to Safe Harbors Green. Live music performances, DJs and dancing will then take place on the Safe Harbors Green from 12-6 p.m. The festival is designed to be inclusive for all people wishing to partake in the day's fun and entertainment, catering to local families and children as well.

"We are packing it with lots of vendors and sponsors," said Ken Martinez, the director of performing arts and community programming for Safe Harbors. "You will be able to do anything from get gelato to make a doctor's appointment. So it is going to be a very interesting event with lots to do."

Martinez said he hopes next year they will be able to have a parade through the streets, adding that they tried to focus greatly on selecting local talent and LGBTQ+ performers. The main stage performances, which will go from 12-2 p.m. are going to be hosted by Victoria Bohmore and include music from DJ Pete Pop, also spotlighting other artists like Juliza Alezae, Katarina Mirage and Memphis Divine.

The day's itinerary will also include a Drag Story Hour — a nonprofit fostering inclusive spaces where storytellers read books to kids through the art of drag. At 1 p.m. there will be readings with Angel Elektra & Shay D'Pines for all kids. According to their website, Drag Story Hour provides children



DJ Pete Pop, who will be featured at Pride on the Green.



Main Stage performances will take place between 12 and 2 p.m.

with queer role models to look up to and creates an environment for them to imagine a world that tears down the traditionally accepted gender binary.

From 4 - 6 p.m. there will be a dance party with DJ Meetchka, and after 6 p.m. until late into the night, an after party will be held at Spirits Lab featuring musical hits from the 80s and 90s. Although Martinez said there have been pride events in Newburgh before, this is the first of this event hosted by Safe Harbors specifically.

Pride Month first began in 1994, originally designated to the month of October by a group of educational organizations based in the United States. It was initially federally recognized by President Bill Clinton in 1999 as Gay and Lesbian Pride Month. A decade later, in 2009 President Barack Obama declared June LGBT Pride Month and in 2021, President Joe Biden altered the official title to LGBTQ Pride

Month. Throughout the month, pride celebrations and other pride-centered events are taking place not just throughout the Hudson Valley, but across the state and the country.

Events like these are what make places desirable for people to live, Marinez said. Pride gatherings have the ability to incite engagement within the community, as they draw a diverse crowd from different groups and socio-economic backgrounds.

Pride on the Green's sponsors and partners include the City of Newburgh, Chronogram, Friends of the Newburgh Free Library, Planned Parenthood, Newburgh Illuminated, Ally Realty, RicRac by Hendley & Co and Newburgh Brewing Company.

"It has been quite an experience to put this together and realize this is actually the beginning of a very long, amazing event," Martinez said.





### MARLBOROUGH

# Ribbon cutting at Marlboro Community Center

This week marked the ribbon cutting of the Town of Marlboro Community Center. The Marlboro Milton Seniors Club extends heartfelt thanks to everyone who contributed to the building and opening of the center,

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and the
Town Board.

The Marlboro Milton Seniors Club also expresses gratitude to The First



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Presbyterian Church of Marlboro for hosting their Thursday meetings over the years.

### **Annual Flag Burning Ceremony**

The Viebey-Sutton Post 124 American Legion and the local Cub Scouts held their annual Flag Burning ceremony on June 9. Congratulations to Karl Fred, the winner of the \$500 scratch-off.

### **Library Events**

- Local Author Talk: Linda Freeman Local resident Linda McCauley Freeman will read from her poetry collection, The Marriage Manual, at the Marlboro Library on June 27 at 7:00 p.m. The reading will be followed by a Q&A and book signing. RSVP at marlborolibrary.org; walk-ins are welcome.
- MFL Hook & Needle: Knitting & Crocheting Group Join us at the Marlboro Free Library for an informal knitting and crocheting meetup every 2nd and 4th Monday from 6:00-7:30 p.m. This group will meet on June 24,



Congratulations to Alex McAteer and Kalista Birkenstock, who have been named this year's Mid-Hudson Athletic League (MHAL) Senior Scholar-Athlete Award recipients for Marlboro High School!

July 8 & 22, and August 12 & 26. RSVP at marlborolibrary.org; walk-ins are welcome.

• Vet2Vet Coffee Hour, Fridays at the Marlboro Library This Veteran Coffee Hour, organized in collaboration with Vet2Vet of Ulster County and the Hudson Valley Center for Veteran Reintegration, provides a space for veterans to connect and support one another. It meets on Fridays from 1:30-2:30 p.m. in the Marlboro Library community room. Walk-ins are welcome.

### **School News and Events**

- Senior Walk Members of Marlboro High School's Class of 2024 returned to the Elementary and Middle Schools for the annual Senior Walk on June 12. The soon-to-be graduates were greeted by their former teachers and younger students, who lined the hallways with handmade signs and high-fives.
- MHAL Senior Scholar-Athlete

Award Congratulations to Alex McAteer and Kalista Birkenstock, Marlboro High School's recipients of the Mid-Hudson Athletic League (MHAL) Senior Scholar-Athlete Award. They were honored on June 10 in Kingston.

### St. Mary's Church Food Pantry

With summer break approaching, St. Mary's Church food pantry needs donations to support families whose children will not have access to school meals. Non-perishable food items and financial contributions are appreciated. Please ensure food donations are unopened and not expired. Donations can be left in the designated baskets at the church.

### Weekly Recipe: Rice Pudding Ingredients:

- •1 quart skim milk
- 1/3 cup (heaping) rice
- 6-8 Tbsp. granulated sugar

### **Community Events**

### WEDNESDAY

**St. Mary's Food Pantry**. 10 a.m. - 1 p.m. 71 Grand Street, Marlboro. Serving residents of Marlboro and Milton.

### SATURDAY

Heart of the Hudson Valley Farmers Market. 9 a.m. - 2 p.m. Cluett Schantz Park, 1801-1805 Route 9W, Milton (through September).

- •1 tsp. vanilla extract
- · Dash of salt

Methods/Steps: Cook uncovered and simmer for 40 minutes. Pour into a container, cover, and let sit at room temperature for a couple of hours. Sprinkle with cinnamon to taste. Serve immediately.

### **Ongoing Events and Reminders**

- Heart of the Hudson Valley Farmers Market Every Saturday, 9 a.m. - 2 p.m., June through October, at Cluett Schantz Park, Milton. Visit hhvfarmersmarket.com for more information.
- Summer Concert Double Headline: 50Amp Fuse and Carrie Zazz on July 5 at Cluett Schantz Memorial Park. Music starts at 6:30 p.m.
- MFL Walking Club Meetings on Wednesdays, June 5, July 10 & 24, August 7 & 21, from 9:30-10:30 a.m.
- Aquaturf Trip Tuesday, July 9, 11:00 a.m. 3:30 p.m. Price: \$64 (includes lunch and travel). Contact Lorraine Palermo at 845-591-8851 for more information.

Birthdays and Anniversaries
Happy Birthday to John Burns,
Eliana Gattuso, Kevin Beck,
Michael Paolo, Joseph Biengardo,
Audrey Finnerty, Jenny Flynn,
Fran Mahusky, and Lee Longobardi.

Happy Anniversary to Mr. & Mrs. **Thomas Schroeder.** 

### AROUND THE VALLEY

# Upcoming Events at Plattekill Library

at Plattekill Library
The Plattekill Public Library is gearing up for a summer full of exciting events for the community.
Here's a look at what's coming up:

Summer Reading Program Kickoff The Summer Reading Program at the Plattekill Public Library will launch with an exciting and unique storytelling show called StoryFaces. In this event, volunteers are brought on stage and face painted to illustrate stories as Christopher tells them, captivating the audience with folktales and his animated original stories. Attendees can enjoy a free ice cream sundae and receive a book. The kickoff event is scheduled for Thursday, June 20, at 6 p.m. at the Plattekill Public Library. Registration is available online at Plattekill Library Events.

Water Safety Education Program On Thursday, June 27, Wings Over Water will present a fun, interactive water safety program for all ages. The program will include a Safety Smart video featuring Timon and Pumba, a dry land swim lesson covering the basics of breathing, buoyancy, shapes/postures, and safety, a "Simon Sez" coloring book, a Swim Safety Certificate for each student, and a Family Swim Day Pass to practice swimming together. Registration is required and can be completed online at Plattekill Library Events.

Free Zumba Classes The library will offer free Zumba classes on Sundays at 8:30 a.m. Zumba is a fun, energizing Latin-inspired dance workout. Participants are encouraged to bring sneakers and a friend. Registration is available online at Plattekill Library Events.

Storytime Miss Melissa will host Storytime on Thursdays at 11:00 a.m., where children can socialize, play, sing, listen to stories, and get creative with crafts. This event aims to spark children's imagination and help develop early literacy skills. Registration can be completed online at Plattekill Library Events.

For more information on these and other events, visit the Plattekill Public Library at plattekill.lib. ny.us or contact the library directly at 845-883-7286

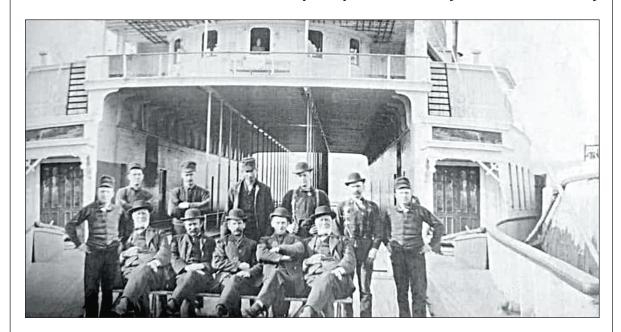
# Come join the Plattekill Golden Seniors for food and fun!

There is also an opportunity to make different crafts with Mary on various Mondays during the year. We've already done glass etching; next is wreath making in June and alter tin cans by decoupaging in July. Pre-registration is helpful as there's a limit of 12; cost is \$5.00 per person per class.

In July and August we will be traveling by bus

# The Water Level Route

### How trains once crossed the Hudson by ferry from Newburgh to Fishkill Landing



ollowing its completion in 1889, the
Poughkeepsie Railway Bridge was a crucial
link between New England and the United
States' elaborate railroad network. It continued as
such for over eighty years until its fiery demise in
1974, but prior to trains traveling by rail, a vastly
different method of transportation was used to
cross the Hudson River.

Join author and historian Alex Prizgintas at the Marlboro Free Library on Thursday, June 20th at 7 p.m. as he explores the early history of the Erie and West Shore railroads in Newburgh, as well as the service of the William T. Hart—a steampowered barge that transported railroad cars from the late nineteenth century until the turn of the twentieth century from Newburgh to Fishkill Landing en route to New England.

A Marist College graduate with degrees

in Hudson River Valley Studies and Public Administration, Alex Prizgintas has been published in several journals such as the peerreviewed Hudson River Valley Review and New York Archives Magazine as well as the Orange County Historical Society Journal and the Antique Bottle & Glass Collector Magazine. Serving as president of the Woodbury Historical Society in Orange County, Alex performs and lectures around 130 times each year across the Hudson Valley.

According to Orange County Legislator and acting Historian for the town of Crawford Rob Sassi, "Alex's in-depth knowledge of local history, and incredible focus on railroads and their impact on the growth of the Hudson Valley, are second to none! If you enjoy local history, you won't be disappointed to attend one of his lectures!"

to Riverview Inn in Matamoras, Pennsylvania for lunch and a show. Fee is \$50 for members; \$55 for nonmembers. We will also be having a picnic at the Thomas Felten Community Park in August.

Plattekill Golden Seniors meet in the Community Room beneath the Plattekill Public Library. They have changed their meeting dates as follows:

> June 20, 2024 meeting is cancelled. July 11, 2024 at 1 p.m. will be a regular business

meeting.

We will be traveling to Riverview Inn in Pennsylvania on July 18th for lunch and a comedy show. If interested in attending, contact Linda Orth at 845-863-4550 or Mary Antzak at 845-857-5388. Cost is \$50 for members and \$55 for non-members.

Membership is open to those 55 and older. For more information on any of our activities, contact Linda Orth at 845-863-4550.

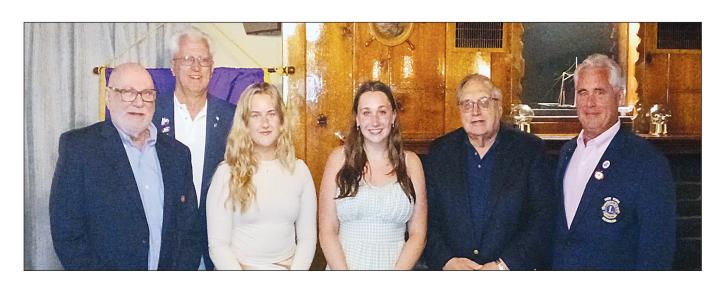
### **SCHOOL NEWS**

# Highland's Top 10 students in the Class of 2024



The Top 10 Students in the Class of 2024 were honored by the Highland School Board at last week's meeting: The students are flanked by Principal Dr. Kevin Murphy [L] and Asst. Principal Brandon Opitz and are standing in ranking order from left to right: Valedictorian Alexander Papazov, Salutatorian Alice Dong, Nicholas Fiorese, Grace Koehler, Emily Kandetzke, Abigail Maier, Jack Schneider (not pictured), Ved Patel, Maryanna Scalo and Arianna Wallen.

### Milton Lions Club honors Marlboro student at Scholarship Award Dinner



Last week the Marlboro Milton Lions Club hosted a Scholarship Award Dinner at the Ship Lantern Inn.

### PHOTO PROVIDED BY THE LIONS CLUB

Pictured L-R Lions Club President Jerry Wein, Lions President-Elect Ed Bozydaj, Scholarship winners Amanda Kunkel and Emersyn Lazar, Lions Club Treasurer Ralph Walters and Lions District Governor-Elect Stephen Jennison.

### **SCHOOL NEWS**

# Marlboro Middle School S.T.A.R Breakfast - honoring 'Students That Are Remarkable'

On Friday, May 31, 2024 the Marlboro Middle School hosted its annual S.T.AR. breakfast. S.T.A.R. represents "Students That Are Remarkable." Twenty-seven students from the Marlboro Middle School were selected by their teachers from all curriculum areas, for exhibiting admirable traits both during and beyond the school day. The Marlboro Middle School strives to encourage students to possess admirable characteristics that will support their development into successful citizens.

Students, their parents, teachers, Mrs. Clinton-MMS Principal, and Mr. Stanmyer-MMS Assistant Principal, gathered in the Marlboro Middle School for an honorary breakfast where students received awards for their achievements.

Marlboro Town Supervisor Scott Corcoran was the guest speaker. Mr. Corcoran spoke about how being good students and always trying their best will help them succeed in life. He spoke about being a kid himself and how he tried to help with town government





and how that helped him become the Supervisor today. He advised the students to "pick good friends for they will support you in life." He discussed being hardworking, kind, helpful, responsible, honest, respectful, motivated and having a good work ethic. In closing he said, "As I tell all our Town employees, don't ever say you can't do something... as leaders

work together to solve the difficult problems." The Marlboro Middle School is proud to honor these students and hopes to praise a new group of admirable students next fall.

### Highland Student Rep

The Highland School Board took a moment to thank Lily Sgroe for serving as the Student Representative for the 2023-24 school year.

Pictured L-R Board members Heather Welch, Jeanine Gemmell, Alan Barone, Supt. Joel Freer, Lily, Tom Miller and Camille Adoma.



# Saint Augustine's Fair is bigger and better

Despite some rainy weather in Highland on Saturday, Saint Augustine Church's annual Bazaar and Food Truck Festival was a hit, drawing an estimated 500 people to the school grounds over four days last week.

The fair features some special fare: food trucks and local restaurants offered Italian, Mexican, seafood, hamburgers, and more, along with music and trivia from DJ Tony Flash, karaoke, indoor Cornhole Tournament and an assortment of children's activities and games.

New this year was the Father's Day Olympics.



The bounce house was a big hit.



The trivia game, conducted by DJ Tony Flash (not pictured), drew a lively crowd on Sunday afternoon.



Food vendors: (seated) Sofi CrimiVaroli, (l. - r.) Attilio CrimiVaroli, Daniel Rendon and George CrimiVaroli.



Committee members (I. - r.) Shannon Bergeron, Donna Heffay, Carole CrimiVaroli, and Bonnie Castellano.

### BASEBALL ROUNDUP

The summer baseball season kicked off last week with the beginning of Greater Hudson Valley Baseball League Play.

Greater Hudson Valley Baseball League teams will play for most of June and July with the playoffs scheduled to begin the last week of July and end during the first weekend in August.

There are four divisions in age groups, ranging from 9U to college age.

Most local teams are in Divisions 3 or 4 in their age groups.

### Greater Hudson Valley Baseball League 9U Division 4 Kent White Sox B 11, Marlboro Mighty Marlins 2

The Mighty Marlins gave up eight runs in the first two innings in a loss to the Kenet White Sox B on June 9. The White Sox scored three in the first, five in the second and three more in the fifth inning.

### 12U Crossover Marlboro Marlins 14, Pine Bush Rebels Blue 6

The Marlboro Marlins rode a six-run fourth inning to a victory over the Pine Bush Rebels Blue on June 9 at Pine Bush Town Park.

The Marlins took the lead for good in the top of the first, and after the Rebels scored a run in the bottom of the inning, the Marlins offense scored nine runs over the next three innings to take control of the game, leading 11-1, heading into the bottom of the fourth inning.

### THIS WEEK

FRIDAY, JUNE 21 Baseball 12U

Naturals Baseball at Marlboro Marlins, 5:45 p.m.

### SUNDAY, JUNE 23 Baseball

Greater Hudson Valley Baseball League 9U Division 4 Lewisboro Lightning at Marlboro Mighty Marlins, 11 a.m.

### 12U

Pine Bush Rebels White at Marlboro Marlins, 9 a.m. (2)

## Lizzy Ryan 24th at gymnastics championship

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She's already had some college interest as one of the coaches from the University of West Virigina came and watched practice to express interest.

She's also been in contact with Penn State, North Carolina State, the University of Illinois, Yale, and Washington University, among others.

She knows exactly what she's looking for.

"The culture of the program is a very important thing," Ryan said. "If I'm going to go away and perform for the college, I want to enjoy the coaches and enjoy the girls, so that's a very important factor."

Even with nationals behind her, she trains five days per week at ENA Gymnastics in Paramus, N.J., for about 20 hours per week. That doesn't include the 10 hours per week she spends in the car driving between Paramus and Highland.

"This sport has taught me a lot of things," Ryan said. "I think that's why I enjoy it so much, not because of the fact that I get to go and do flips and



Lizzy Ryan of Highland competes on the floor at the Level 10 Women's Senior A nationals in Daytona Beach, Fla.

just do these really cool things. But more because it's given me structure. It's given me stress. It's given me

enjoyment. It's taught me a lot of things that I definitely don't think I would have learned without it."

### FREELANCE NEWS & SPORTS REPORTERS

Are you an aspiring journalist? Do you want to engage your community? We have several great opportunities for you.

Freelance news correspondent: The Times Community Newspapers are looking for several freelance reporters to cover nighttime municipal and school board meetings and occasional weekend assignments.

Freelance sports reporter: The Southern Ulster Times is looking for help with local high school sports coverage. You must be available evenings and weekend (especially Friday nights during the football season) Photography skills are helpful.

Send writing samples and resume to: editor@tcnewspapers.com. No phone calls please.







Thursday, June 20, 2024

# Highland's Lizzy Ryan 24th at gymnastics championship

By MIKE ZUMMO

Lizzy Ryan, or at the very least her hands, had a terrible gymnastics season.

It didn't affect her performance, however, as she finished 24th at the Level 10 Senior A Women's Development Program National championships on May 11 and 12 at the Volusia County Ocean Center in Daytona Beach, Fla.

"I had ripped my hands open numerous times," said Ryan, a junior at Highland High School. "So, I was only able to do, instead of the 50-bar routines that everybody else did going into nationals, I probably only did 15. My coach says they were like hamburger meat. That was very painful."

Her highest score came on the balance beam where she tied for 18th with a score of 9.450. Her second highest finish came on the uneven bars, which despite her injured hands, she scored a 9.4.

"They weren't tiny rips that I was just being a baby about," Ryan said. "They were bloody to the point where my blood was on the bar. If they used a UV light, they would definitely find my blood all over."

She had a higher score on the floor with a 9.425, but she finished tied for 29th there and was tied for 39th on the vault with a score of 9.325. She finished with an all-around score of 37.600.

Ryan is a Level 10 gymnast, the highest level in the USA Gymnastics Junior Olympics program. About 1,800 Level 10 gymnasts compete in the U.S. during the season and 900 make it to their respective state championships. Another 300 make it to regionals, and out of those 300, only 56 go to nationals.

"It definitely means a lot of college



Photos courtesy Tammy Ryan

Lizzy Ryan of Highland competes on the uneven bars at the Level 10 Women's Senior A nationals in Daytona Beach, Fla.

exposure," Ryan said. "In the (Division I) world, that's what they're looking for. People who choose the Elite (path) have to make it through nationals first. Those girls are the ones trying to go to the Olympics right now but being one of those 56 is a very difficult thing to do because you have to be able to do our very best one day."

This year wasn't the first time Ryan

had qualified for nationals. She would have gone two years ago, but she hurt herself at the regional meet. She was more nervous at this year's regional meet because success there meant a trip to nationals.

"It was definitely less nervewracking than regionals because in the back of your mind, there is nothing else after this," Ryan said. "This is the grand finale. This is where you want to make it, but obviously you want to do good because you want to make it into a college, so I was pretty nervous going into it because it was such a big meet."

And she calmed herself down and did fine, showing that the work pays off.

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