

HERE'S WHAT'S HAPPENING IN ONLEY

March 1,2014

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A MESSAGE FROM THE MAYOR

The Town is doing very well financially, meeting or beating our budget numbers. Soon we will be discussing the 2014-2015 budget. We would appreciate any requests for budget inclusions from our residents.

The Town of Onley has been requested to participate in the Onancock St. Patrick's Day Parade on Sunday, March 16,2014. A poster describing the time and participants is in the Town Office.

The days are getting nicer and longer...maybe more residents will be able to attend our monthly meetings and offer any suggestions that might be helpful to the Council in performing the functions that will benefit the Town.

I would like to welcome two new employees to the Town. Officer Jess Long is our newest patrol officer and Cindy McKeever is our part-time zoning administrator. Please stop in and meet them.

Please remember to check the Town website as well as the Town message board for any upcoming Town news.

This is your Town and we want to hear from you.

Jack Pierson

Upcoming Monthly Town Meeting Schedule:

- April 7, 2014
- May 5, 2014
- June 2, 2014

REMINDERS!

TOWN DECALS GO ON SALE MARCH 17, 2014! A CURRENT REGISTRA-TION IS REQUIRED!

WHEN THERE IS A MON-DAY HOLIDAY, TRASH PICK-UP WILL BE ON WEDNESDAY!

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TOWN DECALS

Town Decals will go on sale March 17, 2014. A current registration for each vehicle is required. THERE ARE NO EXPECTIONS! 2014 Decals must be displayed by April 15, 2014.



DATES OF INTEREST

- Onley Town Council Regular Monthly Meeting - First Monday each month @ 6:30pm @ Onley Fire House
- SPOTS—Third Monday each month @ 7:00pm @ Sage Diner
- Onley Planning Commission—Fourth Wednesday each month @ 7:00 pm @ Fire House

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Onley Police Blotter

Greetings from the Onley Police Department! Winter is almost over and Spring is just around the corner. Please be mindful of people walking, children playing and everyone riding bicycles. The Onley Police Department has two new additions—Officer Jess Long joins us as a fifth officer. Jess brings many years of experience coming from the ACSO. The second addition is a 2014 Chevrolet Impala.

Please stop in and meet Officer Long and have a look at the new patrol car. Lastly, I want to remind everyone to be mindful of their surroundings—in today's world, there are many people out to take advantage of any and every situation. Remember to always use good judgment—if something seems too good to be true—it probably is. Please contact us for any reason. - Walter

Happy \$\mathscr{B}\$ St. Patricks Day

- You will be ticketed if you park on the sidewalk in Onley!
- Remember that the intersection at the stoplight on Coastal Blvd. is a one lane intersection!
- Current Town Decals must be displayed to avoid a fine!



THOUGHTS ON ZONING...

Zoning regulations differ drastically across communities but generally attempt to maintain uniformity. However, zoning regulations need to be flexible to change over time & sensitive to unique community concerns. Citizen participation gives a voice to interests of current issues &

provides one of the most effective tools in meeting the needs of residents, revitalization & stimulating the economy. Planning & being proactive is the best defense in securing a successful future for Onley. Invest an interest in Onley and let me hear your thoughts.... Cindy

Please post your 911 address number on the front of your home facing the street. Virginia Code requires a minimum 2"x4" series of numbers to be visible from the street. This is important for a timely emergency response.

*Just a reminder...signs advertising services or businesses in town must have a permit. Either get a permit or remove your sign.

*The Town of Onley is covered under Accomack County's Open Burning Ordinance. www.co.accomack.va.us/ codes ordinances.html

A MESSAGE FROM THE TREASURER

Hello Everyone! It's been a while since a newsletter from the Town has been forthcoming. The end of the year sees us busily collecting real estate & personal property taxes, planning for and overseeing the Veteran's Day Celebration and making sure that the holiday lighting is up and oper-

ating properly. Also earlier there was a Town Cleanup. Seems as though the end of the year is very busy.

We are now into March and the next big event is the sale of decals. Decals must be displayed on vehicles by April 15th. For business owners, 2014 business license were due March 1, 2014.

Please stop by the office and visit with us—we always enjoy the company!

Jamye, Ada Jo & Joel

