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MANAGER UPDATE

These infrastructure improvement projects are occurring throughout the Village:

- The Todd Lane Bridge over the Pocantico River is being replaced, it is scheduled to be opened by the end of the year.
- A new 20" water line was installed on Sleepy Hollow Road that will connect the Briarcliff water system to a new emergency connection in the Village of Sleepy Hollow. This connection is being installed to reduce the Village's cost for emergency water.
- Water lines on a number of roadways, but primarily on Rte. 9 are being cleaned and relined.
- Landscaping at the intersection of Pleasantville Road and South State Road, with the installation of a new "Welcome" sign has completed the intersection improvement project.
- Landscaping and the installation of a new guide rail on Scarborough Road (near the Scarborough Firehouse) will complete the major drainage project along that road.
- Two new sanitary sewer pump stations are being constructed on Cottonwood Lane and Holly Place to replace older ones that were due for replacement.

"Village of Briarcliff Manor and Storm Water Management"

A series of information bulletins designed to inform residents of the need to improve water quality

Since March 2003, the Village has been responsible for the development of a Federally mandated and New York State directed Storm Water Management Program. This program is designed to improve water quality in our streams, lakes and rivers. All storm water in the Village of Briarcliff Manor ultimately empties into the Hudson River. In order to implement this program, the Village must undertake six (6) minimum control measures which include:

- public education and outreach,
- public participation and involvement,
- illicit discharge detection and elimination,
- construction site storm water runoff control,
- post-construction storm water management, and
- pollution prevention and good housekeeping.

Each month, the Village will be providing information on each of these measures. If you have any questions on the program, or wish to volunteer to assist the Village in program implementation, please contact David Turiano, Village Engineer at 941-4800.

DAVID TURIANO - ENGINEER/BUILDING INSPECTOR

David Turiano has been working for the Village of Briarcliff Manor since the spring of 1993. He began his career with the Village as the Building Inspector and Assistant Village Engineer. Upon obtaining his Professional Engineering License in 1994 he took on the an additional roll as Village Engineer.



A graduate of Manhattan College, David earned a Bachelor of Engineering in Civil Engineering. He is also a member of Chi Epsilon, the National Civil Engineering Honor Society.

David recently celebrated his fifteenth wedding anniversary with his wife Margaret, who is an Advanced Practice Nurse. They have three children: Tommy, 7th grade; Courtney, 6th grade and Patrick, 2nd grade. David and his family live in the sound shore area.

David is proud to serve the residents of the Village of Briarcliff Manor.

News from the Briarcliff Manor Community Coalition (BMCC)
Alcohol poisoning is a serious consequence of binge drinking

The Holiday Season brings extra cheer to both teen and adults and celebrations often include drinking. Not all of us know what alcohol poisoning is or how to tell if someone has alcohol poisoning. The Mayo Clinic Website offers excellent information. Alcohol poisoning is a serious result of drinking excessive amounts of alcohol. Binge drinking can lead to alcohol poisoning. Alcohol poisoning may result in death.

The effects of alcohol depend on the concentration of alcohol in the blood which can be affected by: how strong the alcohol is; how quickly it is consumed and how much food is in one's stomach when one drinks.

There are some easily recognizable signs and symptoms that a person with alcohol poisoning displays: Confusion; Vomiting; Seizures; Slow or irregular breathing; Blue-tinged skin or pale skin; Unconsciousness ("passing out").

Alcohol is a stomach irritant and may cause vomiting. It also affects the central nervous system slowing breathing, heart rate and gag reflex. This increases the risk of choking on vomit for someone who has passed out from excessive drinking.

Immediate medical care is essential for someone with alcohol poisoning. If you are on the scene when someone is in danger from drinking too much, call 911 and request an ambulance. Blood alcohol level continues to rise even after the person has passed out.

Alcohol can also be harmful in smaller amounts if used in combination with drugs such as sedatives, tranquilizers, narcotic pain medications, and/or anti-seizure medications such as Phenobarbital. Please share this information with your teens and friends.

For further information, and other links to information, visit the Mayo Clinic Website at: <http://www.mayoclinic.com>

IMPORTANT MEETING DATES

<u>MEETING</u>	<u>TIME OF THE MONTH</u>	<u>TIME</u>
BOARD OF TRUSTEES	1st and 2nd Thursday	7:30 PM
PLANNING BOARD	2nd Tuesday	8:00 PM
ZONING BOARD	1st Tuesday every other month	8:00 PM
CABLE COMMITTEE	1st Wednesday	7:00 PM
LIBRARY BOARD	2nd Wednesday	7:30 PM
BOT WORK SESSION	4th Tuesday	5:45 PM
BEAUTIFICATION	3rd Monday	7:00 PM

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