

Village of Silver Lake

News from the Service Department

Mark W. Lipan, Director of Public Service

Snow Reminders



Residents are required to keep sidewalks free of snow and ice. This is especially important around the school.



Parking bans go into effect when snowfall accumulates to two inches or more during a 24-hour period.



Residents are requested to refrain from blowing snow into the street when clearing sidewalks and driveways.

Christmas Tree Recycling



Christmas trees will be picked up by the Service Department from January 6 through January 19. Please leave your tree at the curb. Please remove plastic bags and all decorations before disposing of your tree!

Smell Gas?

If you are out walking around the Village or working in your yard and smell gas, please do not call the Mayor, a council member, or even Village Hall. Immediately call Dominion East Ohio Gas Company's hotline number **877-542-2630** to report the location of the gas smell. Your call will be answered by a dispatcher. You WILL NOT be placed on hold. Your information will be taken, and Dominion will dispatch a crew who can properly locate and correct the problem. Every minute wasted calling the wrong people delays the situation being handled.

News from Mayor Dunphy

Happy holidays to all! I hope the holiday season brings many blessings to you and your loved ones.

As the year comes to an end, it's been a bustling time in the Village. As I write this letter, conduit is being laid along Kent Road as part of the Summit Connects project. This project links all 31 communities in Summit County with a goal of enhancing the quality and security of public safety operations and local government services.

The project has attracted interest from fiber optics providers eager to connect residents to high-speed residential services. In advance of these requests, which will involve work in the Village's rights of way, Council passed a series of new and updated ordinances. While utilities have broad rights to work in our rights of way, these ordinances ensure that they will be properly restored. As service providers seek permits, we've asked that they establish clear communications with residents regarding their work. Watch for yard signs, door hangers and other communications in the weeks ahead.

As I close my first year as your mayor, I would like to thank you all for your encouragement, your support, and your patience.

Silver Lake Garden Club

Silver Lake Garden Club Holiday Celebration

Thank you for joining us in the winter fest activities on November 30th to Build a Holiday Garden Pot and create a Kid's Craft, and the December 1 Annual Christmas Tree Lighting with Santa!

We invite you to attend our December 16 meeting at 12:30 pm at Village Hall to celebrate the spirit of the season at the annual Holly and Ivy High Tea. The Garden Club Board will provide a lovely luncheon and 2025 officers and elected leaders will be installed. Returning for an entertaining repeat performance is the Cuyahoga Falls High School Choir.

Happy Holidays to all!



Cold Weather Gear for the Homeless



Now through Sunday, December 15, 2024

Silver Lake, Stow, Munroe Falls, Cuyahoga Falls, Tallmadge and Hudson are joining forces with the Peter Maurin Center & Knights of Columbus to collect cold weather gear for the homeless.

Donation items may be dropped off or shipped to Village Hall beginning on November 11.

A drive-thru campaign will be held on Saturday, December 7 from 10 am to 2 pm at Village Hall.

News from the SLPD Jamie Norris, Chief of Police

No Overnight Parking

Just a reminder that there is no overnight parking on any Village Street from 2 am to 7 am any day of the week.

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Village Office Closures

Village Offices will be closed on Tuesday, December 24, Wednesday, December 25, Tuesday, December 31 and Wednesday January 1, 2025.

Kimble Holiday Trash Collections

Christmas week trash will be collected on Saturday, December 28th and New Year's week trash will be collected on Saturday, January 4th.

Meeting Times

Council ~ 1st and 3rd Monday of the month @ 7 pm

Planning Commission ~ 2nd and 4th Monday of the month @ 6 pm

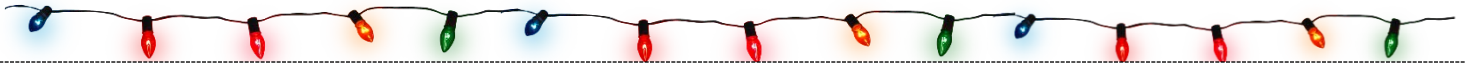
Park Board ~ 2nd Tuesday of the month @ 6 pm

Shade Tree Commission ~ Thursday January 9 @ 4:00 pm

Water Shed Committee ~ Wednesday January 8, 2025

Board of Zoning Appeals ~ As needed

Silver Lake Garden Club ~ Monday December 16 @ 12:30 pm



Ways to Pay your Water Bill

- ❖ Check, Cash or Credit Card
- ❖ Mail checks to 2961 Kent Road Silver Lake, OH 44224
- ❖ Drop off payment in the utility box located in the parking lot or in the box located in the vestibule at Village Hall
- ❖ Sign up for our ACH program (no fees apply). Your payment would automatically come out of your bank account on the 20th of every month. If you are already enrolled, there is **no need** to sign up again.
- ❖ ***NEW*** Pay online using credit card or echeck with NexBillPay (fees will apply)



2024 – 2025 Senior or Disabled Driveway Snow Removal Program



The Village will once again offer a Driveway Snow Removal Program to residents who are permanently disabled or 65 years of age or older AND who meet the household income criteria established by the Department of Health and Human Services. Income is defined as including, but not limited to, pension, social security benefits, interest, and dividends, etc. The Village reserves the right to request proof of income.

Applications are available at Village Hall or on our website at <https://villageofsilverlake.com/wp-content/uploads/2024/10/2024-2025-Snow-Removal-Application.pdf>

If you have any questions, or if you would like a form mailed to you, please call Village Hall at 330-923-5233.

SENIOR SOCIAL

Silver Lake residents, 55 and over - Please join us for an afternoon of fun and getting to know your neighbors! For those who like to play games, we will have a few options to enjoy in small groups. Or just come to socialize! We welcome all looking to spend an entertaining afternoon with others who share this special Silver Lake community.

Date: Friday, January 17, 2025

Time: 3-5 pm

Where: Silver Lake Village Hall

Please RSVP (Call or text):

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Hope to see you there!

