

# The Village Voice

Bremen Ohio's Monthly Newsletter

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## March 2019



### March Council & Committee Meetings

Members of the public should feel welcome to attend and participate at the following meetings regarding Village business:

- Administrative Process @ 6:30PM: March 5th
- Village Council @ 7:00PM: March 11<sup>th</sup>
- Economic Development @ 6:00PM: March 13<sup>th</sup>
- Safety & Infratstructure Committee @ 6:00PM: March 20<sup>th</sup>

If you would like to speak at the Council meeting, please contact the office by noon of the previous day so you can be added to the agenda.



## **First Economic Development Meeting**

The Village of Bremen will hold its first Economic Development Meeting on March 13<sup>th</sup> with members Todd Wesaw, Scott Snider, John Boone, Rich Lines and Mark Morgan. Also attending will be the Mayor,

Mike Henwood and Administrator, Corey Spackey. A general discussion will take place about improving the Village of Bremen and what could be done to draw more attention from tourism or business growth for the area. The next meeting will be published once scheduled.

## **High Water Issues**

In the first 12 days of February the Village had over 6 inches of rainfall and many of our residents had water issues on their property or in their homes. This is an issue that is not being taken lightly and we are working to address it as much as we can and as fast as we can. We have contracted Fee-Corp to camera some of the lines and locate issues that have been discussed over the past year to see if we can resolve some of the issue. We will keep you informed as information becomes available.

## **Employment Opportunities**

#### Water/Wastewater Technician

The Village of Bremen, Ohio is currently accepting applications for a permanent, full-time, Water/Wastewater Technician. Preference will be given to candidates who currently hold a Class 1 Wastewater License. For a detailed position description and application instructions, contact the village office at 740-569-4788 or see the website at <u>www.BremenVillage.com/employment</u>. The position is open until filled.

#### **Zoning Inspector**

The Village of Bremen, Ohio is currently accepting applications for a permanent, part-time, Zoning Inspector. For a detailed position description and application instructions, contact the village office at 740-569-4788 or see the website at <u>www.BremenVillage.com/employment</u>. The position is open until filled.

#### **Pool Manager**

The Village of Bremen, Ohio is currently accepting applications for a seasonal, Pool Manager. For a detailed position description and application instructions, contact the village office at 740-569-4788 or see the website at

<u>www.BremenVillage.com/employment</u>. The position is open until filled.

#### Head Lifeguard / Lifeguard



The Village of Bremen, Ohio is currently accepting

applications for their seasonal, Head Lifeguard and Lifeguard positions. For a detailed position description and application instructions, contact the village office at 740-569-4788 or see the website at <u>www.BremenVillage.com/employment</u>. The position is open until filled.

## **Employee Spotlight**



Randy Coffman, Street Department Laborer Avery Queen, Street Department Crew Lead

Avery and Randy are both relatively new to the Village also and have been working diligently on the streets and taking care of snow and ice removal. They consistently are here on overtime helping the Water and Waste-water Departments when needed.

#### **NEWSLETTER WILL STOP BEING MAILED!**

The Village Newsletter will still be a monthly publication but will be available online or in select locations for pick-up. The Newsletter will continue being mailed through the first quarter of 2019 and the April Edition will be the first newsletter that will not be mailed. This is being done as a cost savings measure for the Village. It will also be available online and on the Village's Facebook page!

## What's Your Expertise?

Have you considered speaking at a Council or Committee meeting? The Village could use your input! If you have experience or knowledge in a certain subject matter, then we would love to hear from you. Check your calendars with our Council and Committee dates and come join us! We can work together to build a better community!

## Thank you to our Village Employees!

The Village Employees have been working around the clock with the recent rainfalls trying to keep up. Many of them have hardly been home with their own families taking care of water and weatherrelated issues there because of their commitment to this community. If you see them out and about the Village, tell them thank you for what they do! We may not always see the value but they are always here providing incredible services to the Village!

## Street Levy on the Ballot in 2019

It's no secret that the streets are in bad shape! The Village has been discussing for some time going on the ballot for a street levy and we are now preparing the paperwork to do so.

We need your support in order to pass the levy and repair our streets. Our current goal for the ballot is to ask for a 3 MIL levy for five years. This would generate approximately \$63,000 per year for the Village to begin repairing the streets.

The overall goal is not to just pave over the existing streets but to grind down and re-do the streets correctly. This is a time-consuming process and we are planning on doing one full street per year. Our goal is to show you that measures are being taken to improve the Village and keep it as nice as possible.



## **Daylight Savings Time March 10th**

Just a friendly reminder that daylight savings time begins on Sunday March 10, 2019! Don't forget to change your clocks!