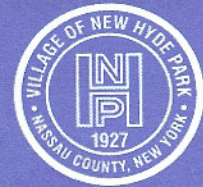


VILLAGE OF NEW HYDE PARK

OFFICIAL REPORT

SPRING-SUMMER 2007



Village Hall: 354-0022

DPW: 354-0064



Mayor's Letter to the Residents

What is the Village of New Hyde Park going to look like in the year 2012? How about 2017? Or even 2022? These questions are clearly on my mind as I sit down to share some thoughts with you. The Village is clearly at a crossroad as we ponder the ramifications of the LIRR Main Line Corridor Improvement Project commonly known as the "Third Track" issue. Added to this is the effort of the Master Plan Committee to come up with a visionary design for our Village's future which maintains the suburban character of our community while at the same time addresses the need to eliminate and minimize retail vacancies on Jericho Turnpike. The combination of these two factors has the potential to alter the landscape of this Village and the surrounding community for years to come.

There are some who believe that all change is good and others who believe that maintaining the status quo is always the most prudent course of action. I don't think that we can view the future with a lens that is too narrow nor too broad in scope. We need to judge the merits of the changes being proposed, with a respect for the past, combined with an enthusiasm for what could be. The decisions that this Board ultimately makes combined with those decisions being made by the LIRR and our State representatives have the potential to devastate this community or revitalize it.

The Village Board is committed to the fight to protect the homes and businesses potentially affected by the LIRR project. It is specifically the elimination of the at-grade crossings at Covert Avenue and New Hyde Park Road that is predicted to result in the condemnation of properties in our Village. We are in dialogue with the LIRR attempting to persuade them to look at alternatives to the present plans that would minimize the impact on our

community. We continue to share all of the information that we have with the homeowners that are directly affected by the plans and we are working closely with the "Save Our Village" organization. We are meeting with our State and County elected officials to voice our concerns and to coordinate our response.

I encourage all residents to take an interest in both the LIRR Main Line Corridor Improvement Project and the Master Plan. Over the next several months, there will be opportunities for the community to preview the proposed Master Plan. The input from our residents will help us to develop a plan which best serves the Village in the short term and over the long run.

Mayor Dan Petruccio

OPERATION MAIN STREET

Recently, the Village Board received some disappointing news concerning Operation Main Street. The New York State Department of Transportation has informed the Board that the Jericho Turnpike renewal project has been re-scheduled to take place in 2008-2009. This will delay the conclusion of the Village's ongoing Operation Main Street Project, as the final phase will be coordinated with the DOT's project.

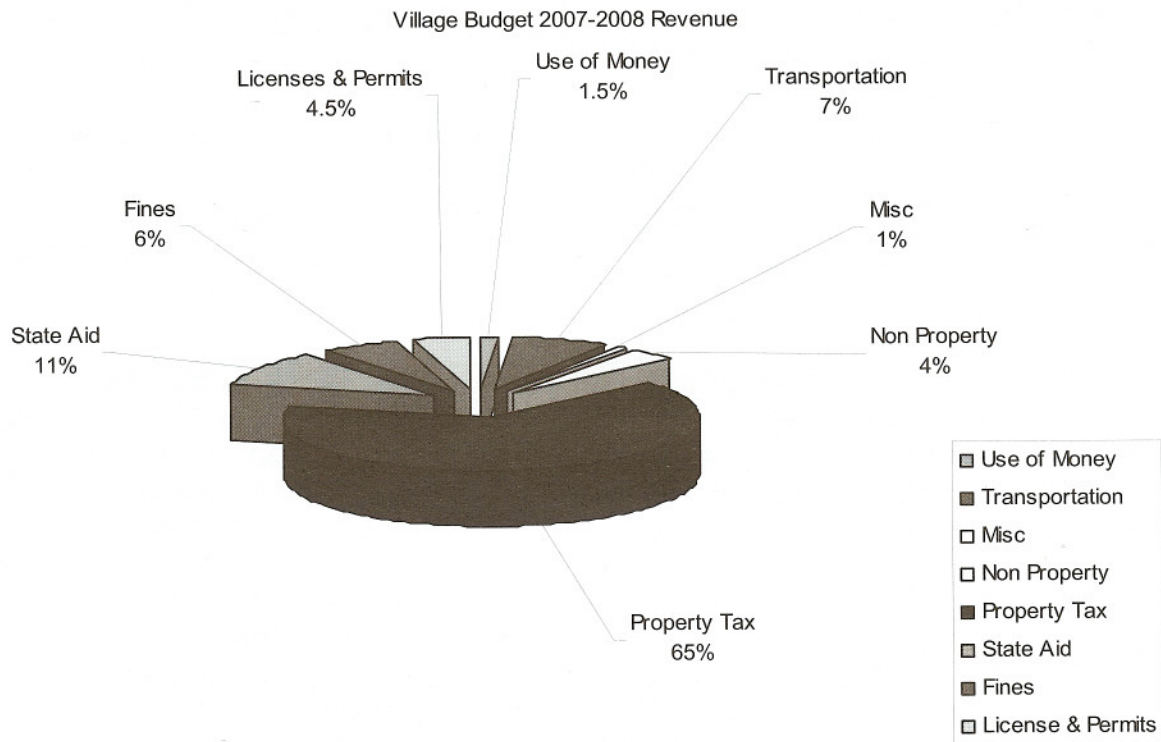
The project will however continue this year. You'll see the addition of new trash receptacles, floral planters and benches. The parking lots on Central Blvd. and Lakeville Road will be improved aesthetically with the addition of fencing, shrubbery and floral planters. Your Village Board is committed to beautifying the Turnpike. Working together with our merchants and the Department of Public Works, we're looking forward to our best year ever.



Village Board Adopts New Budget

No Tax Increase in 2007/2008

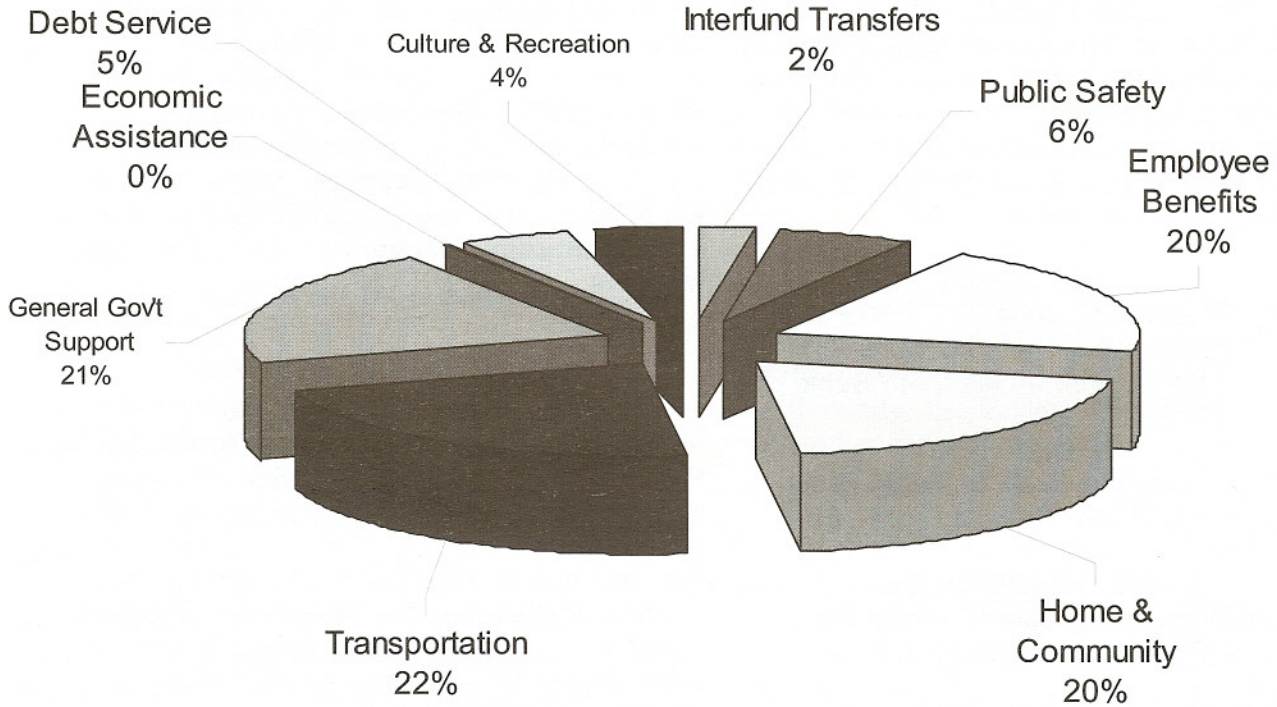
On Tuesday, April 17, the Village Board adopted the new budget for the fiscal year June 1, 2007 to May 31, 2008. The budget provides for total expenses of \$5,256,073 with a tax levy of \$3,384,036 which is \$61,331 less than last year. The Board was successful in cutting overall expenses while maintaining funding for a variety of Village services and programs. Some of the decreases in expenses were the closing of the Library. The tax rate remains unchanged at \$16.76 per \$100 of assessed value based on the Village's property assessment.



Property Tax: Property Tax/Interest/Penalties
 Non-Property Tax: Electric/Gas/Telephone/Cablevision
 Miscellaneous: Refund of Prior Year Expenses
 Transportation: Parking Lot/ Meter/Voucher
 Use of Money: Interest on Deposits
 Licenses & Permits: Plumbing/ Building Permits
 Fines: Court Fines/ Collection Agency
 State Aid: Grants

Property Tax: \$3,384,036
 Non-Property Tax: \$200,000
 Miscellaneous: \$50,620
 Transportation: \$380,000
 Use of Money: \$76,500
 Licenses & Permits: \$235,500
 Fines: \$310,500
 State Aid: \$566,437

Village Budget 2007-2008 Expenses



Transportation: Street Maintenance/Snow Removal/ Street Lighting

Gen Govt. Support: Insurance/Claims & Judgments/ Clerk's Office & Court

Economic Assistance: Newsletter/Printing/ Parade/Street Fair

Debt Service: Bond Interest/Installments

Culture & Recreation: Parks Equipment/ Beautification

Interfund Transfers: Accrued Liability

Public Safety: Building Department

Employee Benefits: Social Security/Medical

Home & Community: Garbage Collection & Disposal/ Tree Trim/Removal

Transportation: \$1,234,275

Gen Govt. Support: \$1,148,578

Economic Assistance: \$21,500

Debt Services: \$278,313

Culture & Recreation: \$218,846

Interfund Transfers: \$50,000

Public Safety: \$339,028

Employee Benefits: \$969,897

Home & Community: \$995,636

UPCOMING VILLAGE EVENTS



Summer Concert Series

The Cultural Committee has finalized the details for the annual Summer Concert Series in Memorial Park. Lisa Miranda, Village Cultural Commissioner, has booked a variety of family performances. We hope you take advantage of these special Village events. Once again, there is no admission charge to any of these shows. For your comfort, don't forget to bring a blanket and/or a chair.

SISTER ACT

Wednesday, June 27 - 7:30 PM
 (Rain Date: Thursday, June 28)
Sponsored by Maspeth Bank

THE CLUSTERS

Wednesday, July 11 - 7:30 PM
 (Rain Date: Thursday, July 12)

THE WIZARD OF OZ

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MAGIC WITH MARK AND KYM

Wednesday, August 22 - 7:30 PM
 (Rain Date: To Be Announced)



Memorial Day Parade

The annual Memorial Day Parade will be held on Saturday, May 26 beginning at 10:00 AM on Hillside Blvd, proceeding East on Jericho Tpke., North on New Hyde Park Road, then West on Lincoln Avenue to Memorial Park. Services will begin at approximately 10:45 AM at Memorial Field directly following the parade. Please join us in honoring those who served our Country.



Village Street Fair

The 12th Annual Village Street Fair will be held on **Saturday, September 15** from 10:00 AM through 4:30 PM! Although still early in the process, the Street Fair Coordinators are working diligently to bring another fabulous and exciting event to the Village. All residents and Village merchants are encouraged to participate. Hopefully, Mother Nature will bring beautiful weather on Street Fair Day! If not, **Saturday, September 29** will be the rain date.

Children's Summer Recreation Program

Our very popular Children's Recreation Program will be held again this Summer. Registration will be held on Wednesday, June 27 between 10:00 AM and 1:00 PM. A registration form and detailed information on this Program is enclosed in this Newsletter. Please check the Summer Newsletter and the electronic board for any updated registration or Program information.

Village Board Meetings 2007/2008 Schedule

The Village Board meetings provide residents with an opportunity to learn about and to get involved in issues affecting our Village. All residents are encouraged to attend one, some, or all of these meetings. The Board meetings begin at 8:00 PM and are held on the first floor of Village Hall. The remaining schedule for 2007/2008 is as follows:

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| <p>June 19, 2007
 July 17, 2007
 August 21, 2007
 September 18, 2007
 October 2, 2007
 October 16, 2007
 November 8, 2007
 November 20, 2007</p> | <p>December 4, 2007
 December 18, 2007
 January 3, 2008
 January 15, 2008
 February 5, 2008
 February 19, 2008
 March 4, 2008
 March 18, 2008
 April 1, 2008</p> |
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The LIRR Main Line Corridor Improvement Project and What It Means For The Village of New Hyde Park

Since July of 2004, when Metropolitan Transportation Authority officials agreed to hire the consulting firm of DMJM Harris of Manhattan to analyze the scope, design, cost and impact of a project and prepare an environmental statement that is necessary for the LIRR to receive Federal funding, the Village of New Hyde Park has been waiting to evaluate their assessments and plans.

The project, as the LIRR claims, will be to install a third track on a 10 mile stretch from Bellerose to Hicksville and will boost service and provide greater reverse-commuting options. The project also would include the elimination of three grade crossings in New Hyde Park.

Well, our greatest fears were realized when a team of officials from the LIRR arrived at Village Hall in early December to meet with Mayor Petruccio and reported that the project would require the condemnation and elimination of 27 homes and businesses in order to make room for new underpasses to be built at New Hyde Park Road and at Covert Avenue. The plan calls for the closing of the South 12th Street crossing.

Since the first meeting, Mayor Petruccio and Deputy Mayor Lofaro met with the LIRR twice to express the concern of the Village and its residents to the proposed plan. It appears that the LIRR is committed to their design along with its negative impact to the homes and roads in our area.

Later this year, this plan will be submitted to the public for their comments and input during several public hearings that will be scheduled by the LIRR and held at local venues.

Village officials asked the LIRR what other options were considered for the elimination of the

grade crossings and was provided a 1989 study that recommended elevation. The purpose of a third meeting in March, which was called for by the LIRR, was to disprove their own study and shift focus away from elevation.

Currently, the Village Board is considering hiring an Engineering firm to assist with preparing alternative options to the LIRR's plan. Additionally, the Village is working closely with other main line communities to insure solidarity in their objection to the project.

Local residents have also united to explore the impact of the project as it relates to noise, pollution, vibration, along with the various other negative aspects. Local groups like Save Our Village have been gaining great momentum and have collected extremely insightful data that can be used to keep residents informed as well as challenge the LIRR projects during the public input sessions.

The key message the Village Board continues to share with the residents is to "keep informed, be aware, and be prepared to express your views in a factual and compelling manor that would influence the opinion of the individuals that will ultimately decide the fate of this project."

The following pages show the plan the LIRR is considering at New Hyde Park Road and at Covert Avenue. Additionally, we have included the Village's Official Position and a letter written by Mayor Petruccio in response to an recent editorial in Newsday.

IN PROGRESS

COVERT AVENUE
GRADE CROSSING
CABINET TO BE
REMOVED

HOUSES AND GARAGES
DEMOLISHED

COMMERCIAL BUILDING
DEMOLISHED

COVERT AVENUE GRADE
SEPARATION, FROM LIRR MAIN LINE
AND 2ND AVENUE
SEE DRAWINGS GCC01 THRU GCC07

14' TRACK CENTERS BETWEEN
M.L. TRACK 2 AND
M.L. THIRD TRACK

M.L. TRACK 1

M.L. TRACK 2

2ND AVENUE

(NORTH TRUCK ROUTE)

MATCH LINE - SEE DWG PP05

3RD AVENUE
ENDS

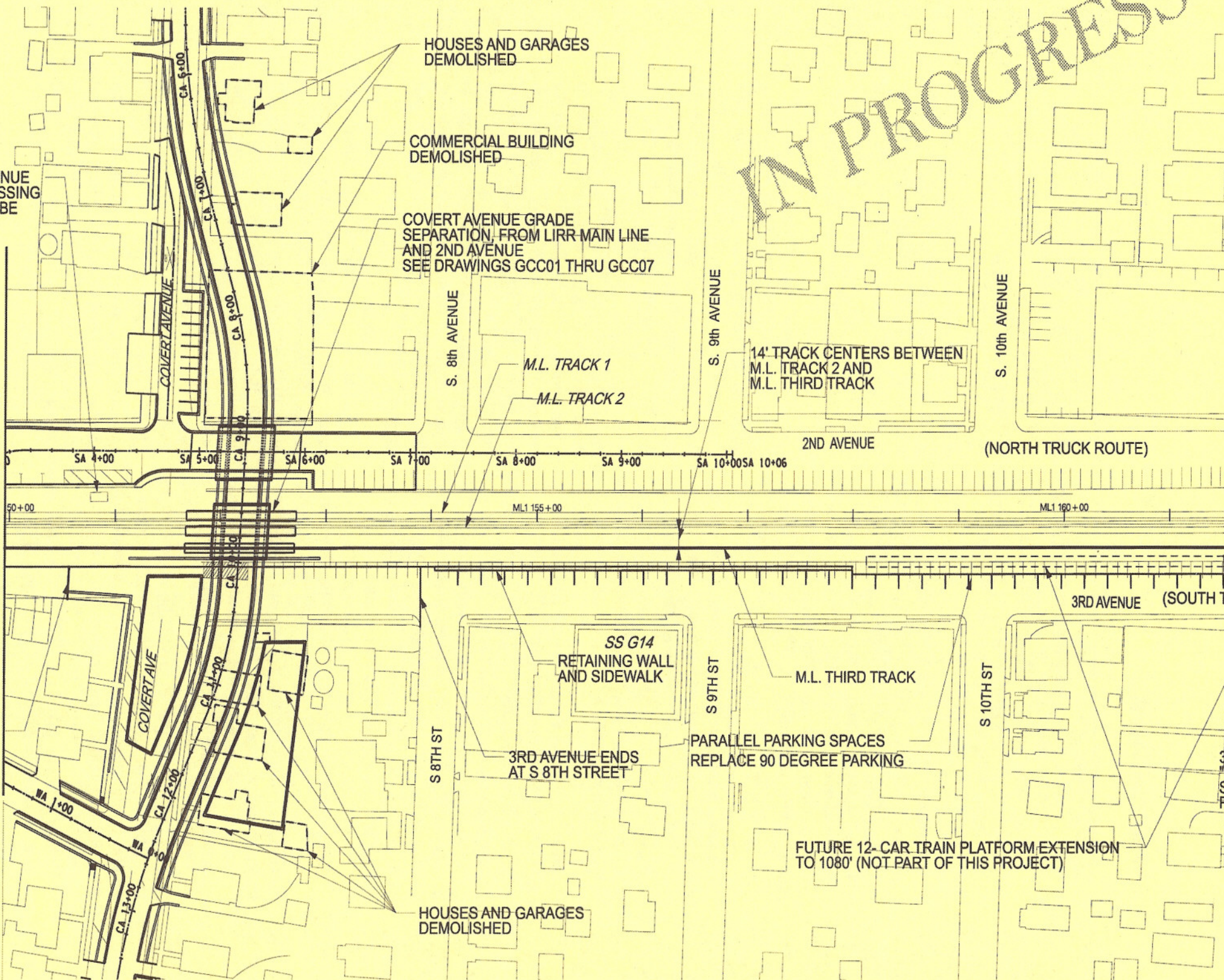
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RETAINING WALL
AND SIDEWALK

3RD AVENUE ENDS
AT S 8TH STREET

PARALLEL PARKING SPACES
REPLACE 90 DEGREE PARKING

FUTURE 12-CAR TRAIN PLATFORM EXTENSION
TO 1080' (NOT PART OF THIS PROJECT)

HOUSES AND GARAGES
DEMOLISHED



PROGRESS

HERKOMER STREET REALIGNMENT

REPLACEMENT PARKING FACILITY

EXTENDED PAVED AREA FOR ACCESS TO PROPERTIES

NEW HYDE PARK STATION BUILDING

M.L. TRACK 1

M.L. TRACK 2

NORTH PLATFORM

12TH STREET AT-GRADE CROSSING TO BE CLOSED PEDESTRIAN ACCESS PROVIDED BY STATION OVERPASS

2nd AVENUE

EXTEND DRIVEWAYS FOR ACCESS TO PROPERTIES

PLAZA AVENUE REALIGNMENT SWEEP TO 2ND AVENUE

COMMERCIAL BUILDINGS DEMOLISHED

NEW HYDE PARK ROAD GRADE SEPARATION AND REALIGNMENT, SEE DWG. NOS. GCH01 THROUGH GCH07 FOR DETAILS

MILLERS LANE

HERKOMER STREET

NEW HYDE PARK RD

DRIVEWAY

PEDESTRIAN MALL

EAST END OF STATION PLATFORM

RELOCATED 880' STATION PLATFORM TO ACCOMMODATE M.L. THIRD TRACK

M.L. THIRD TRACK

SIDEWALK AND FENCE ON TRACK SIDE BETWEEN PLATFORM AND BRIDGE

3RD AVENUE CONVERTED TO DRIVEWAY AND PEDESTRIAN MALL FOR M.L. THIRD TRACK ALIGNMENT AND NEW HYDE PARK STATION OPERATIONS EAST OF 12TH STREET

STAIRS IN BRIDGE ABUTMENT TO PROVIDE PEDESTRIAN/RAILROAD GRADE SEPARATION ACCESS BETWEEN NORTH AND SOUTH PLATFORMS

NEW HYDE PARK STATION PED. OVERPASS AT 12TH STREET WITH STAIRS, RAMPS AND ELEVATORS FOR ADA COMPLIANCE

THIRD AVENUE "STANDING ONLY" SPACES FOR "KISS N RIDE"

GREENRIDGE AVE

GREENRIDGE AVE REALIGNMENT

NEW HYDE PARK RD

CLINCH AVE

NEW HYDE PARK STATION

MATCH LINE - SEE DWG PP08

Incorporated Village of New Hyde Park
Public Statement on the Proposed Main Line
Corridor Improvement Project

On behalf of the 9,500 residents of the Incorporated Village of New Hyde Park, we the Village Board oppose the proposed Main Line Corridor Project through our community. Our position is based on a set of preliminary drawings received by the Village Board in a meeting with representatives of the LIRR on December 5, 2006.

- √ We do not see any benefit from the 3rd track expansion project for the Village of New Hyde Park.
- √ We are opposed to a plan that will bring additional freight through our community.
- √ We are opposed to a plan that fails to address the issue of noise pollution and vibration through our community.
- √ While we are in favor of the elimination of "at-grade crossings", we oppose any plan that calls for the condemnation and confiscation of private property both commercial and residential.
- √ We are concerned with the failure of this plan to address the issue of local commercial traffic flow through this Village (specifically the permanent closure of 2nd Avenue and 3rd Avenue at New Hyde Park Road and Covert Ave).
- √ The Village Board seeks a dialogue with the LIRR to shape the plan into a project that will address the above concerns and will result in a mutually agreeable solution to these issues with a minimal impact on our community.
- √ Any Main Line Corridor Project plan must demonstrate a positive overall impact on our community in order to be viable.

Response to Newsday Editorial 4/27/07

Where do the editors of Newsday reside? Do any of them live near or on Covert Ave. and New Hyde Park Road in the Village of New Hyde Park? To stand off at a safe distance and pontificate about politicians with the vision to allow a project that will force people from their homes is the height of hypocrisy.

The arguments in favor of the Third Track project are based on speculation and conjecture. The fallacy that there is a need to accommodate a reverse commute is clearly evident to anyone who looks at the statistics provided by the LIRR that indicate that rider-ship is down. Where are the workers that are waiting to commute from the city to Long Island to work in the dwindling manufacturing sector?

The consequences of this project reverberate beyond the devastating loss of property and the displacement of residents from their homes, there will be increased noise pollution and vibration experienced along the entire length of this project. Increased commercial truck traffic through our community along Covert Avenue and New Hyde Park Road will have a permanent impact on our community that cannot be reversed.

Political officials on both sides of the aisle need to stop using an issue as significant as the Third Track project to further their political careers. Newsday needs to step away from the coattails of Governor Spitzer and serve the residents of Nassau County and not the special interests who will financially benefit from this project. Putting up Eliot Spitzer and Mayor Michael Bloomberg as role models for other elected officials is absurd. Most of the elected officials I come in contact with on the local level are balancing two jobs and a mortgage while serving the needs of their residents. Can Eliot Spitzer and Mayor Bloomberg really empathize with the middle class residents living on Covert Avenue who are in danger of losing their homes?

The opponents of this project are often accused of "NIMBYISM"; this project is not coming through our backyard it is being driven through our homes. The plan that is being proposed by the MTA offers no alternative to the present design. The Village of New Hyde Park has made several requests for all of the information used by the MTA in deciding on this project. To date that information has not been forthcoming.

The Newsday editor writes about the need for growth on Long Island but fails to address the personal cost. This project needs to be judged on its merits and not on the political rhetoric being doled out by the editors of Newsday. The residents of New Hyde Park are tired of Eliot Spitzer and Newsday telling us what is in our best interest. Is it a coincidence that as of April 23rd Eliot Spitzer has assembled a commission to explore the elimination of the layers of local government? With the villages out of the way, projects which Eliot Spitzer deems good for our community will be railroaded down our throats with no opposition.

Big government does not know what is best for the local community.

Daniel P. Petruccio
Mayor of the Incorporated Village of New Hyde Park

Village Library

A special closing ceremony and reception was held on Tuesday evening, January 30th to honor and celebrate over 60 years of dedicated service to the community by the Library Board and Library staff. To echo the sentiments expressed that night by Trustee Barbieri, this was a bittersweet event. No-one wanted the Village Library to close their doors. However, the new Library, centrally located on Lakeville Road, is a "state of the art" facility that is sure to satisfy the needs of all residents.

The Village Board wishes to extend a special thank you to Nylah Schneider, the Village Librarian, for all her extraordinary efforts. We wish her luck, happiness, and success at the Hillside Public Library.

If you haven't had the chance to visit the new library, located at 155 Lakeville Road, we urge you to do so. All residents can utilize the Library for book rentals. Residents in the NHP/GCP School District can take advantage of all programs and services the Library has to offer. Please call the Library directly at 355-7850 for information on hours, programs and services.



Tr. Barbieri, Deputy Mayor Lofaro, and Mayor Petruccio share a few private moments with Library Board Chairperson Marie Carney, Library staff members Patricia Fitzpatrick, Kathy Ferrara, Linda Minch and Librarian Nylah Schneider. Also present at the Closing Ceremony were Legislator Rich Nicoletto and Village Clerk-Treasurer Pat Farrell.

Building Department



Graffiti has long been a problem in our Village, as well as in the surrounding areas. Aesthetically unpleasing and sometimes costly in its removal, graffiti has been a hardship for commercial building owners and their tenants, as well as for the residents who live nearby the business zones, who by no fault of their own, are subjected to the unpleasant appearance of graffiti in the area.

The Summer is fast approaching, schools will be closing, teens will be looking for things to do. Unfortunately, some teens may get involved in pranks that involve the defacing of both public and private properties in the Village. Building owners, take precautions on your buildings. It would be advisable to install lighting and security cameras on your building and in your parking lot, if applicable. If your building should get hit with graffiti, there are graffiti removal companies in the area who do such removal; however, hopefully you will not need their services.

The Village Code Enforcement Officer issues violations, allowing the business owner approximately ten (10) days to remove such graffiti. As hard as it is on the business owner, we enforce graffiti removal in order to keep the Village looking neat and clean.

If you witness anyone involved in defacing any property, please immediately call 911. If you have information on individuals involved in defacing properties in the Village, please contact the Building Department at 354-0022. Your identity will remain anonymous.

**Report Illegal Apartments
Call the Building Department
(516) 354-0022**

Our Village is a great place to live! But our quality of life and the character of the neighborhood is fragile and can easily slip away if we are not mindful of the seemingly subtle changes that become common place if they are permitted to persist. High on the list of threats to the Village are illegal apartments that are carved out of single family homes.

An illegal apartment degrades our quality of life by adding more cars, traffic, and waste and puts additional burdens on our schools. The added strain on educational and municipal services contributes to the rise in property taxes for the entire community. Meanwhile, the homeowners who have no respect for their law abiding neighbors collect illegal revenue from their tenants.

The Village of New Hyde Park has been highly successful in its campaign to drive compliance with local laws aimed at preserving our suburban quality of life. In fact, we have been pointed to as an example of how a community deals effectively with this insidious problem. Our Building Department's determined investigations have resulted in convictions and fines in substantial amounts such as one at \$11,000; three at \$17,500; one at \$19,608; one at \$20,000; and one illegal renter paid \$38,000. But the Building Department needs help to initiate such investigations.

Law abiding, tax paying citizens of New Hyde Park are urged to report suspected illegal apartments to the Village Building Department. Your calls will be kept confidential if you prefer, and will provide the impetus for Building Inspectors to launch an investigation into the complaint. The Building Department will then determine if there is enough evidence to support the suspicion. Citizens can greatly assist this process by stopping by Village Hall and signing an affidavit documenting observations that contribute to the body evidence. The character of our neighborhood depends upon the collective efforts of our citizens.



Congratulations to Deputy Mayor Robert Lofaro and Trustee Richard Coppola, pictured above, who were re-elected to another four year term. The Installation of Officials, Department Heads, Staff, and Committee Members took place on April 2nd.

Verizon Franchise Agreement

The Village Board is pleased to announce that an agreement has been reached with Verizon to deliver cable service to our community. A contract is expected to be signed shortly. Over the next few weeks, residents can expect to receive information from Verizon on cable products and services.



The Annual Little League Parade took place on Saturday, April 14th. Joining the children, from left to right, are: Father Tony Stanganelli, Legislator Richard Nicoletto, North Hempstead Town Supervisor Jon Kaiman, State Senator Craig Johnson, Assemblyman Tom McKeivitt, and Mayor Dan Petruccio.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS

Storm Water Pollution - What is the Problem?

Anything that gets in the path of a raindrop can become storm water pollution. Another name for storm water pollution is non-point source pollution. Every time it rains, storm water is carried to storm drain systems and/or directly to surface waters and ground waters. That means that storm water pollution can have detrimental effects to creeks, lakes, ponds, rivers and the oceans into which it eventually drains. Storm water can carry sediment, trash, automotive fluids like used oil and antifreeze, grass clippings, leaves, yard waste, excess fertilizers, animal waste, pesticides and anything else that gets in its way. There are several things you can do to prevent storm water pollution:

Household Hazardous Waste

- ◆ Never dump anything down a storm drain. Most storm drains flow directly to creeks and lakes.
- ◆ Take used oil, paint and other household hazardous waste to recycling centers.
- ◆ Check your car for oil or other leaks.

Animal Waste

- ◆ Pick up after your pets. Dispose of animal waste properly in a trash receptacle or flush it down the toilet.

Lawn Care

- ◆ Apply fertilizers and pesticides exactly where you want them. Avoid over spraying them onto sidewalks, driveways or streets.
- ◆ Reduce the amount of fertilizers you need to apply by testing the soil in your yard first.

Reducing Runoff

- ◆ Adjust sprinklers so that you're not watering the street or sidewalk.
- ◆ Redirect roof gutters to lawns, natural areas or rain gardens.
- ◆ Take your car to a car wash instead of washing it in the driveway.

Yard Waste

- ◆ Sweep up yard debris instead of washing it away.
- ◆ Bundle yard waste at the curb for pickup.

Planting

- ◆ Replant bare areas to avoid soil erosion.
- ◆ Keep invasive plants from growing in your yard. Remove them before they have a chance to grow and spread.
- ◆ Avoid planting exotic plants. Select only plants that are native to this area.

Volunteer

- ◆ Report spills, dumping or suspected water pollution to the Village.
- ◆ Clear clogged storm drains. Blocked drains cause drainage problems.
- ◆ Participate in community-wide clean up days and other events.
- ◆ Alert neighbors to storm water pollution problems.

It is illegal to discharge, cause to be discharged, directly or indirectly, or cause any pollutant to enter into the storm drain system unless permitted by a NYSDEC permit. Storm water is the only discharge permitted in the storm water system with exception of incidental non-storm water flows which do not negatively impact the quality of the receiving stream, including:

1. Water line flushing, except super-chlorinated water line flushing
2. Landscape irrigation
3. Uncontaminated groundwater infiltration
4. Uncontaminated pumped groundwater
5. Discharge from potable water sources
6. Foundation drains
7. Air conditioning condensate
8. Irrigation water
9. Springs
10. Lawn watering
11. De-chlorinated swimming pool discharge
12. Street wash water
13. Flows from emergency fire and rescue operations other than those resulting from negligence on the part of the person who owned or controlled the pollutant.

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Trustees: Richard Coppola
Robert Lofaro
Donald Barbieri
Lawrence Montreuil
Village Clerk's Office: 354-0022
(M-F) 8:45AM-4:15PM
Dept of Public Works: 354-0064
(M-F)9:00AM-3:00PM
Village Court: 354-6330
Building Department: 354-0022
Fire Department & Ambulance: 742-3300

Property Tax Bill Reminder

Village property tax bills are being mailed on Thursday, May 31, 2007 for the 2007/2008 tax period. Tax bills are payable by July 2, 2007 to avoid penalty. Payments can be made by mail or in person at the Village Clerk's Office in Village Hall, Monday through Friday between 8:45 AM and 4:00 PM. Telephone inquiries will continue to be answered, as usual, until 4:15 PM.



Sanitation Schedule Change Memorial Day

Monday, May 28, 2007

Garbage for North Side rescheduled to
Tuesday, May 29.

Tuesday, May 29, 2007

Garbage collection for the entire Village and
newspaper collection for North Side.

Independence Day

Wednesday, July 4, 2007

Green can recyclables and yard waste
postponed to Thursday, July 5.

Thursday, July 5, 2007

Garbage collection for the North Side, yard
waste and recyclables for the entire Village.
Newspapers for South Side cancelled.

Labor Day

Monday, September 3, 2007

Garbage for North Side rescheduled to
Tuesday, September 4.

Tuesday, September 4, 2007

Garbage collection for the entire Village and
newspapers for North Side.

**YARD WASTE COLLECTIONS EVERY
WEDNESDAY**

CALL DPW AT 354-0064 FOR LARGE ITEMS

SUMMER CONCERT EVENTS AT MEMORIAL PARK

For your comfort, bring a chair or blanket.
All performances are free.

The sounds of **SISTER ACT**

Wednesday, June 27, 2007 - 7:30 PM
(Rain Date: Thursday, June 28)
Sponsored by Maspeth Savings Bank

The sensational sounds of **The Clusters**

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WEDNESDAY, August 1, 2007 - 7:30 PM
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THE MAGIC OF MARK AND KYM

Wednesday, August 22, 2007 - 7:30 PM
(Rain Date: TBA)

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

- Sat 5/26 Memorial Day Parade - 10AM
Jericho Tpke. to Memorial Park
- Mon 5/28 **Memorial Day**
No garbage collection
Village Offices closed
- Wed 6/13 Board of Zoning Appeals
Meeting 7:30 PM - Village Hall
- Tues 6/19 Village Board Meeting - 8 PM
- Wed 6/27 Summer Rec Program Sign-Up
10AM-1PM at Memorial Park
- Wed 6/27 Concert in the Park - 7:30 PM
Memorial Park (rain date 6/28)
- Wed 7/4 **Independence Day**
No garbage collection
Village Offices closed
- Wed 7/11 Concert in the Park - 7:30 PM
Memorial Park (rain date 7/12)
- Wed 7/11 Board of Zoning Appeals
Meeting 7:30 PM - Village Hall
- Tues 7/17 Village Board Meeting - 8 PM
- Wed 7/18 Concert in the Park - 7:30 PM
Memorial Park (rain date 7/19)
- Wed 8/1 Concert in the Park - 7:30 PM
Memorial Park (rain date 8/2)
- Wed 8/8 Board of Zoning Appeals
Meeting 7:30 PM - Village Hall
- Tues 8/21 Village Board Meeting - 8 PM
- Wed 8/22 Concert in the Park - 7:30 PM
Memorial Park (rain date TBA)
- Mon 9/3 **Labor Day**
No garbage pickup
Village Offices Closed
- Wed 9/12 Board of Zoning Appeals
Meeting 7:30PM - Village Hall
- Sat 9/15 Village Street Fair 10AM
Jericho Tpke (rain date 9/29)

SUMMER CONCERTS IN THE PARK

at Memorial Park

Lincoln Avenue, west of New Hyde Park Road between William and Albert Streets

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 27

Maspeth Savings Bank presents

Sister Act



The Musical Sister Sensation

7:30 PM

(Rain date – Thursday, June 28)

WEDNESDAY, JULY 11

The great sounds of

The Clusters



7:30PM

(Rain date – Thursday, July 12)

WEDNESDAY, JULY 18

THE WIZARD OF OZ

7:30PM

(Rain date – Thursday, July 19)

WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 1

SWEETWATER

7:30PM

(Rain date – Monday, August 2)

WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 22

The Magic of Mark and Kym



7:30PM

(Rain date – TBA)

Village of New Hyde Park Children's Summer Recreation Program

The Village Parks and Recreation Commission is offering our extremely popular Children's Summer Program to be held at Memorial Park. Children between the ages of 6 through 12 will be treated to hours of fun and enjoyment in this exciting Program. The large shelter at Memorial Park allows for a sun-free setting for games and entertainment.

The Program will run Monday through Thursday for five weeks beginning on Monday, July 9th through Thursday, August 9th. The Program will be divided into two age specific sessions. Children ages 6-8 will attend the morning session from 10:00 AM to 12:30 PM. Children between the ages of 9-12 will attend the afternoon session from 1:30 PM to 4:00 PM. All activities will be geared to the appropriate age groups. The Park Office will be closed for lunch between the hours of 12:30 PM to 1:30 PM and no supervision will be available during that period.

Registration will be held at **Memorial Park Field House on Wednesday, June 27** from **10:00 AM to 1:00 PM**. Please bring a **completed application** for each child along with **proof of residency** (tax bill, utility bill, etc.) A **1 inch by 1.5 inch photo** of your child is also required. Blank application forms will be available on the day of registration for additional children. The Program will be open to non-village residents in the 11040 zip code area on an "available basis" only and non-village residents will be charged a fee of \$35 per child.

The Village Parks and Recreation Commission is sure this Program will provide your children with great Summer entertainment and they encourage you to have your children participate.

Where else should our Village children be than playing in our terrific parks.



Village of New Hyde Park
CHILDREN'S SUMMER RECREATION PROGRAM
2007 REGISTRATION FORM
- PLEASE PRINT -

Child's Name: _____

Child's Address: _____

Date of Birth (Child's Age as of July 1, 2007): _____

Child is in good health, except as listed below. Please describe all allergies, drugs and medications, or any medical problems. If none, state "none".

Parent/Guardian Name: _____

Home Phone: _____ Business Phone: _____ Cell: _____

EMERGENCY CONTACTS:

1. Name: _____ Daytime Telephone: _____

Relationship to Child: _____

2. Name: _____ Daytime Telephone: _____

Relationship to Child: _____

PLEASE READ THE FOLLOWING STATEMENT BEFORE SIGNING:

In the event of a medical emergency, the procedure will be to call the parent or guardian, time permitting, before taking the child to a doctor or hospital. However, when neither parent nor guardian can be reached, the following authorization will permit prompt attention. I hereby give my permission for the Recreation Program Leader or designee to transport my child to and from the doctor and or hospital for emergency treatment. I hereby give permission for the Recreation Program Leader or designee to sign any consent that may be necessary to allow hospital personnel and or any licensed physician to examine my child and perform any emergency treatment which may be necessary and to consent to the administration of any drugs or medication necessary to tender such emergency care.

I hereby agree to release the Inc. Village of New Hyde Park, members of the Board of Trustees, employees, agents, and volunteers and hold them harmless and indemnify them for demands, liabilities and causes of actions connected to personal injury, illness, death, or property damage resulting from any cause whatsoever other than their own negligence, and for any expenses incurred in the rendering out of any care and treatment provided.

I understand that in the event of illness or discipline problem, when in the judgment of the Recreation Program Leader or designee it is in the best interest of the child to be taken home, I will assume the responsibility for providing transportation home.

Parent or Guardian Print Name: _____

Parent or Guardian Signature: _____ Date: _____