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Administrator's Update

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VILLAGE MEETINGS

Village meetings are open to the public and citizens are encouraged to attend. For more information call Village Hall at 983-0029.

Regular Council Meeting

7:00 p.m. the first Thursday of every month at Village Hall.

Park and Recreation Committee

6:00 p.m. the first Thursday of every month at Village Hall.

History Committee

Postponed until further notice.

The Village budget year which ends on June 30th of 2022 is expected to be right on track as projected. Our revenues are on an upward swing due to the relaxing restrictions in regards to the pandemic. However, expenses have increased due to inflation and fuel costs over the last quarter. Even so, the Village General Fund should be at about the same level by the end of June as it was last year. We should be in good shape to start the new fiscal year and we are working on the budget for 2022-2023. Our garbage and recycling service costs will increase for the next budget cycle. Some of this is due to a contractual increase and some due to growth in the housing market. The Village currently serves 1,180 households. The garbage and recycling service for these households next year will cost approximately \$189,134. Bulk pickup costs are around \$10,000 per year. The Village brings in \$127,929 in property taxes on the current 5 cent tax rate. On average each resident receives \$169 a year of garbage and bulk pickup service for \$108 of actual property tax cost.

The Village was fortunate to get funding from the ARP (American Rescue Plan) and this funding will amount to \$679,058. The funding was split in two amounts. The first amount was received in July of 2021, and the second half should be received in July of 2022. This funding was originally very restricted and could only be spent for very narrow purposes. It is still very restricted, but there have been numerous modifications to the funding since it was announced and received by the

Village. The most notable change has been that each town which has received funding can choose to claim up to 10 million dollars of their distribution as revenue loss during the pandemic. Once chosen during the reporting process, that allows the Village of Tobaccoville to utilize the funding for general service expenditures. The reporting guidelines to US Treasury are still very extensive and how one uses the funds will determine the reporting requirements. The Village has created a special revenue fund to budget for the funding. This fund will remain in existence until December of 2024 or until the funds are spent.

The Village is moving ahead with a PARTF grant application for a \$960,000 park expansion project. The PARTF funding would pay for \$480,000 of this cost. The remaining cost would be paid for from funding that would be generated from the ARP Fund. No money would be borrowed for this project.

Please check page 3 of this newsletter for the details about a drop in public meeting on April 23rd to review the site plan for the grant opportunity. If we receive the funding, the Village has three years to construct the project. The application is due in May, and funding is not announced until October of 2022.

Dan Corder
Village Administrator

Bulk Pickup News



Once again, the Village of Tobaccoville's Bulk Item Pickup Service will be held in May of 2022. Please read this article carefully as our collection routes and days for service will be determined by your residence location and garbage and recycling route within the Village limits.

The Village of Tobaccoville and the City of King have signed an interlocal agreement to allow equipment and personnel to be contracted to provide an annual curbside bulk pickup for Village of Tobaccoville residents. Please note that the schedule of our pickup has been adjusted in order to accommodate the City of King collection schedules so that service to their citizens won't be interrupted. This means that crews will work in Tobaccoville only on Tuesday, Thursday, and Friday during the pickup for your route. The Village of Tobaccoville will split the bulk pickup collection schedules for our citizens by the garbage and recycling route you are assigned to. The pickup is scheduled to be conducted as follows:

If you are on the Tuesday garbage service route (Red route), bulk pickup collection will begin May 17th at 7:00 a.m.

If you are on the Monday garbage service route (Blue Route), bulk pickup collection will begin on May 24th at 7:00 a.m.

Residents are requested to have acceptable items at the curb no later than 7:00 a.m. on Tuesday on the day that bulk pickup has been set for your route. Items must be placed at the curb in such a manner that obstacles such as mail boxes, vehicles, power lines and trees etc. are not in the way of the lift arm of the collection vehicle. Items which have not been placed at the curb by 7:00 a.m. may not be collected. **The collection vehicle will only pass by your property one time during the collection period.** We will not return once a collection vehicle has passed your residence during the pickup schedule. **An additional reminder, the collection vehicles will not pick up household garbage which should be placed in your garbage cart and picked up on your regular trash day.** Please keep garbage separate from bulk pickup items. Garbage will be picked up as normal by Foothill Waste Solutions. Also, any items containing glass must be separated from other items to reduce breakage potential.

Please keep in mind that we will not pickup locations where it is obvious that dumping has occurred, construction sites or materials, or locations where acceptable and non-acceptable items have been comingled!

Please note that TV's, computers and computer related electronics are now banned from the landfill! These items can no longer be picked up during bulk pickup! They must be recycled by taking them to an acceptable recycling center.

In order to assist you with guidelines for items we will pick up, we have provided a list of acceptable and non-acceptable items. **If you have any questions prior to the pickup, please contact Village Hall at 983-0029.**

ACCEPTABLE ITEMS

- Furniture
- Major appliances
- Grills (no tanks)
- Water heaters
- Mattresses
- Toilets
- Carpet
- Lawnmowers with gas and oil removed
- Toys
- Bicycles
- Glass windows and doors (only if separated from other items)

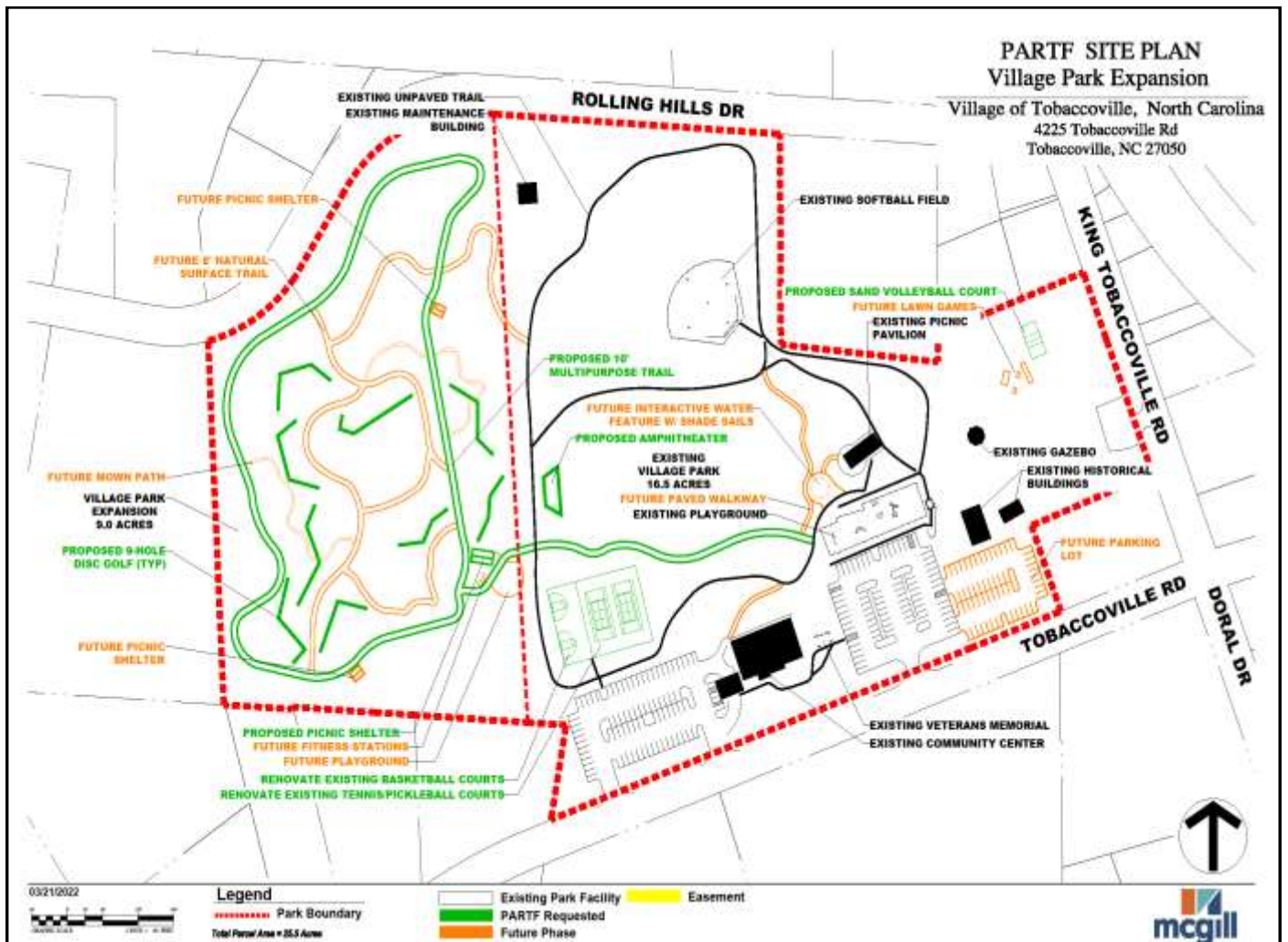
NON-ACCEPTABLE ITEMS

- Trash usually picked up on garbage day
- No items with any type of gas tank
- Metal drums
- Hazardous materials
- Liquids of any kind
- Paint
- Construction debris and building materials
- Asphalt, concrete, or rocks
- Yard waste, firewood, lumber, and stumps
- Cars, vehicle parts, batteries, or tires
- Propane or gas tanks
- Fluorescent light bulbs
- TV's, computers, and electronics

NOTICE OF PUBLIC MEETING

**PARTF GRANT Site Plan For Village Park Expansion
Project Specific Public Meeting
Saturday, April 23, 2022 10:00 a.m. - 12:00 noon
Tobaccoville Village Hall
4260 Tobaccoville Road**

The Village of Tobaccoville has scheduled a drop in public meeting on April 23, 2022 at Village Hall from 10:00 a.m. to 12:00 noon in order to present a PARTF Site Plan for the expansion of Village Park. The Village is applying for a grant to construct new amenities in Village Park as well as renovate existing facilities. As part of the grant application process we are interested in sharing the plan and receiving your comments. This meeting is open to the public and all citizens are encouraged to attend and review the plan. Should you have any questions please contact Village Administrator Dan Corder at 336-983-0029. The sketch below details the new amenities and renovations.



Recycling Bulletin!!!!

For your convenience, we are printing these recycling schedules in the newsletter. Recycling is picked up on every other Wednesday depending on which route you are on. **Please note that if your garbage is normally picked up on Monday, then your recycling is picked up every other Wednesday on the blue route.**

If you garbage is normally picked up on Tuesday, your recycling is picked up every other Wednesday on the red route. The schedule below shows you the pickup day and routes through June of 2022. Please remember that you must use the cart that is for recycling only. If there is trash in the recycling cart or if you use the

wrong cart, it cannot be picked up. The roll carts must be placed at the curb by 7:00 a.m. on the day of the pickup. All recyclable materials must be placed in the cart loosely and not bagged. If you have questions concerning what is recyclable or your route, please visit our website where a link is provided for guidelines and the schedule or call us at Village Hall at 336-983-0029.

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Easter Egg Hunt



*Grab your basket and come hunt Easter Eggs with us at The Park! This free event organized by the Village of Tobaccoville Park & Recreation Committee will be held on April 16, 2022 at 2:00 p.m. Each age group will have a **GOLDEN EGG!!!!!!** Children will be divided in three age groups, 3-5 years old, 6-8 years old and 9-11 years old. Please bring your own basket and be prepared to have a **HOPPING GOOD TIME!!!***

Movies In The PARK

The Park and Recreation Committee is sponsoring 4 movies in the Park during 2022. The following are the movies that have been scheduled for this year.

May 20, 2022 - Karate Kid

June 24, 2022 - Tom & Jerry

July 22, 2022 - American Underdog

August 19, 2022 - Spiderman, No Way Home

Free admission, snacks, soda, and water will be provided at these events. Please bring a flashlight, blanket or lawn chair. All children must be supervised by an adult at all times during the movie events.

Other PARC News

The PARC Committee has been actively working on event schedules and recreational projects for this year. The pandemic prevented many events from taking place for the prior two years, but that has all changed for 2022. We are also excited to announce that we intend to have the Anniversary Celebration for 2022, and we have scheduled that for September 10th which is the first Saturday after Labor Day. The Tree Lighting event will conclude the event schedule in December. The Committee still needs volunteers. If you would like to consider joining the Committee, you can attend one of their meetings or contact us at Village Hall at 336-983-0029 for an application or details on how to apply for membership to the group.

Park Rentals

The Village Park has three wonderful facilities which can be rented for various functions at reasonable rates for both residents and non-residents. Rentals for the Community Center and the Picnic Shelter and Gazebo can be made 7 days a week except on holidays. All Sunday rentals must start after 1 p.m. for the Community Center and after 1 p.m. for the shelters. There are a few other conditions that apply to the available rental hours for each facility. The Alice Watts Tuttle Community Center contains a main room, 2 conference rooms, restrooms, lobby, fireplace, and storage area. Amenities include a sound system, TV, stage, round and rectangular tables, chairs, etc. It is a perfect place to have a reunion, reception or other event. Our staff will set the facility up to your specifications and we will provide an attendant for all facility rentals.

Resident rates for the Community Center are as follows:

Main Room -\$35 hour
 Conf. Room-\$25 hour
 Kitchen-\$30 flat fee
 Entire Building-\$60 hour
 Security Deposit-\$100

A minimum rental for the Community Center is 2 hours. For example a resident can rent the main room (which handles a crowd of 100 people easily) and the kitchen for 4 hours for a total of \$270. This includes the security deposit of \$100 which is returned after the rental if the building is clean and undamaged and vacated on time. Our Picnic Shelter and Gazebo rates for residents are as follows:

Picnic Shelter-\$15 hour
 Gazebo-\$15 hour
 Both Facilities-\$30 hour
 Security Deposit-\$25

Rentals of the shelters must be for a minimum of 3 hours and a maximum of 5 hours and end 1 hour prior to gate close. Rates for residents for all our facilities are less than the non-resident rates. All of our contracts and pictures of our facilities are listed on our website on the PARK page at:

tobaccovillenc.org

There are some additional requirements for each facility rental. There are rules that apply to each facility which must be honored in order to get back the security deposit. If you have a question about the availability of any of our facilities, please call Village Hall at 983-0029 and we will be happy to assist you with your questions

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