



May 2019

Envision Hilton 2030

Investing in the future of the Hilton Community and it's Residents

Mayor Joe Lee and the Village Board of Trustees are pleased to announce the development of a new comprehensive plan for the Hilton community. The plan, in its beginning stages, has been entitled “Envision Hilton 2030” and will serve as the new guiding document for the future of the Village.

A comprehensive plan is a statement of community goals and a conceptual road map for how to achieve them; providing guidance to municipal leaders, government agencies, community organizations, local businesses and residents, while helping to ensure the needs of the community are met in the present and in the future.

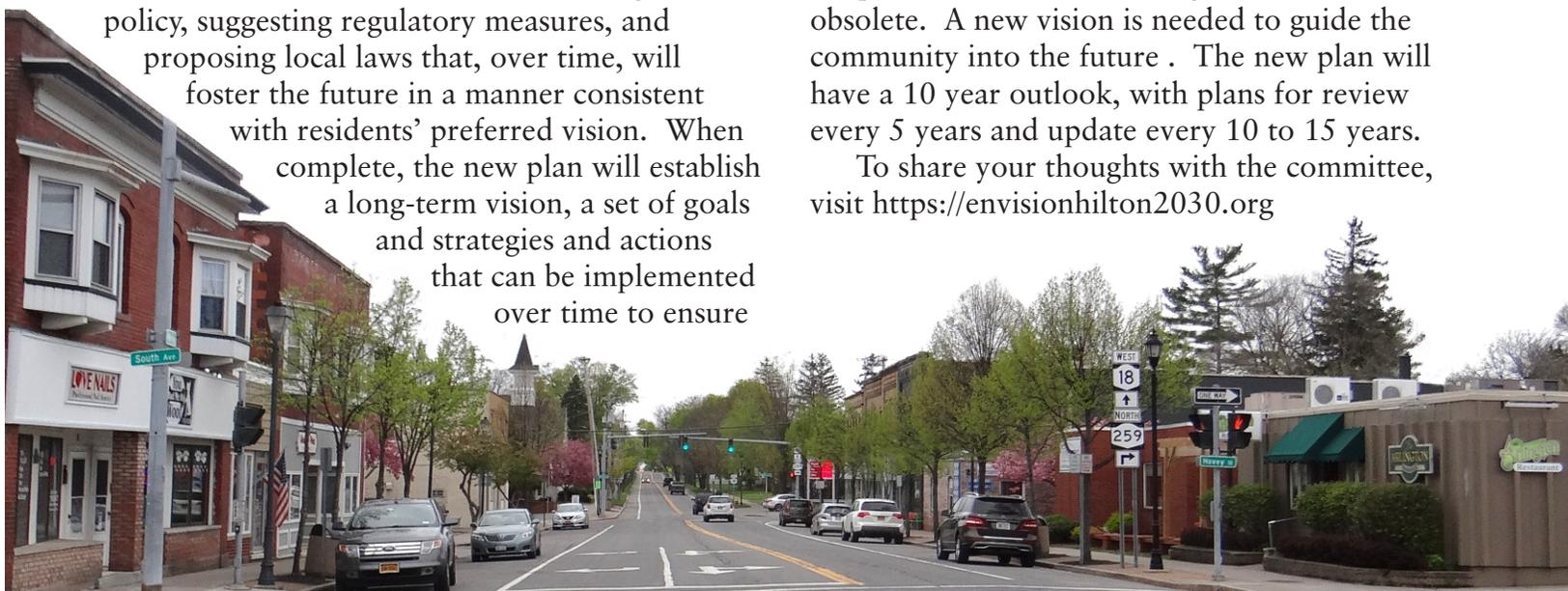
The new plan will address a wide variety of topics including infrastructure, economic development, smart growth, sustainability, the environment, housing, the business district and recreation, with consideration on drafting land use policy, suggesting regulatory measures, and proposing local laws that, over time, will foster the future in a manner consistent with residents’ preferred vision. When complete, the new plan will establish a long-term vision, a set of goals and strategies and actions that can be implemented over time to ensure

that Hilton retains its community character.

The year-long planning process to draft the new plan will be guided by a steering committee comprised of representatives from the local government including staff, board members, business representatives and residents from the community. The process will be facilitated by MRB Group, a Rochester based engineering, architecture, site development and municipal consulting firm, which specializes in comprehensive plans. Activities will include public workshops with design and planning sessions which provide community members the opportunity to “roll up their sleeves” and contribute to the conversation. The goal is to reach as many residents, business owners and other stakeholders as possible, in order to create a consensus for Hilton's future.

The comprehensive plan currently in use was adopted in 1977 and has long since become obsolete. A new vision is needed to guide the community into the future. The new plan will have a 10 year outlook, with plans for review every 5 years and update every 10 to 15 years.

To share your thoughts with the committee, visit <https://envisionhilton2030.org>





FROM
MAYOR
Joe Lee

Village of Hilton Designated A Clean Energy Community

On behalf of The Village of Hilton, I am pleased to announce that Hilton has been designated a Clean Energy Community by the New York State Energy Research and Development Authority (NYSERDA). What does this mean exactly? It means that we have been recognized for our leadership in reducing energy use, cutting costs and driving clean energy locally.

How did we do this? By completing 5 out of 10 high impact energy action items outlined by the state. One such example is the conversion of our street lighting system to more energy efficient LED.

The new designation will benefit the Village of Hilton by affording more opportunities to be awarded additional grant money to fund future clean energy projects, helping us to continue reducing our carbon footprint!



Shannon Zabelny Elected Trustee



The Village of Hilton held a public election on Tuesday, March 19, 2019 to fill a vacancy on the Village Board of Trustees. Shannon Zabelny had been temporarily appointed to fill that vacancy when Trustee Craig Burritt resigned in 2018.

Following the March election, Shannon Zabelny was elected to serve as Trustee for the remainder of Craig Burritt's term through March 2020. Congratulations Shannon!

Shannon previously served one term as Trustee from 2014 to 2018, serving as Vice Mayor during that term. She also previously served on the Zoning Board of Appeals for 2 years. Shannon was uncontested in the election.

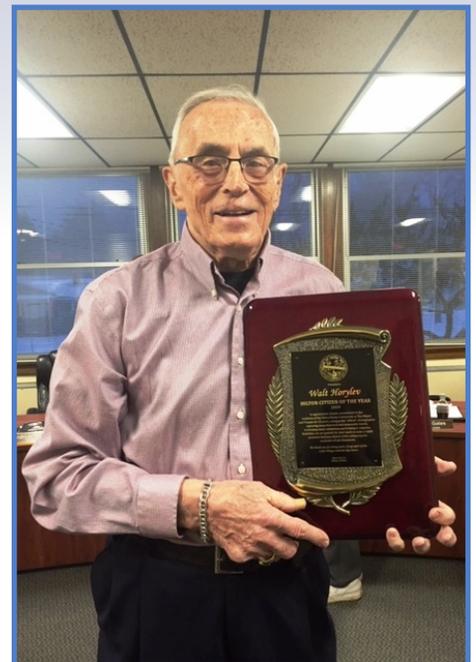
Shannon has lived in the village since 2008, with her husband of 42 years, Rob. They have 2 adult children, Kyle and Kara, who both live out of state with their families.

Shannon enjoys living in Hilton and participating in the many events sponsored by the Village. She is grateful to have another year to serve the residents of the Hilton community as Village Trustee.

Walt Horylev, Hilton's 2019 Citizen of the Year

Congratulations to Walt Horylev, Hilton's 2019 Citizen of the Year! Walt is being recognized for his many years of service in the Hilton community. Walt served on the Village Board as Trustee for 22 years, also serving as Vice Mayor during that time. It was Walt's desire to improve the quality of life in the Village of Hilton. Over the years, he has a long list of accomplishments. To mention a few, he was instrumental in starting the Christmas Tree Lighting ceremony in 1992, a celebration still enjoyed, he helped keep the post office in a central location in the village, he assisted in the plans to construct Old Hojack Lane, and he collaborated to establish Hovey Square in the village plaza. Walt is an avid photographer and has shared many of his photos of village events with the community.

Thank you Walt for your care and concern for the community of Hilton. Your dedication, commitment and service are appreciated.



Hilton Village Budget 2019-20

On April 9, 2019 the Village Board adopted a new budget for the 2019-20 fiscal year, effective June 1, 2019. The good news is, this year's tax rate will be going down. The tax rate will decrease by 10 cents to the new rate of \$2.57 per \$1,000.

In the new budget, \$84,000 will be used for street maintenance. The Tallwood Drive and Peach Blossom sub-divisions are scheduled for crack filling and slurry sealing this year.

Residents can be pleased that the Village has received a \$58,000 HUD Community Development Grant to provide for sidewalk and gutter repair and replacement on Sunny Slope Drive.

Included in the Village's vehicle replacement plan, \$220,000 has been budgeted to purchase a new recycling truck. The new truck will be a smaller, less expensive, more efficient vehicle, set up for single stream recycling. An added benefit will be the truck's ability to compact a greater volume of recyclable materials with less air in the load. The new vehicle will replace a 19 year old, rusted out recycling truck. Also included in the vehicle replacement plan, \$49,000 has been budgeted to replace a 10 year old leaf machine. After replacement, the old leaf machine and recycling truck will be sold at auction and the money from the sales will go in a reserve savings fund to provide for the purchase of future replacement needs.

Now in its 5th year, the Village continues progress in upgrading the street lighting system to LED. This year, \$28,000 has been budgeted to replace 75 lights along Parkwood Lane, Park

Square, Fraser Drive, Tyler Trail, Cooper Drive, Short Hills Drive, Little Tree Lane, Sunny Slope Drive, Mockingbird Lane, Turtle Creek Drive and Dunbar Road. At completion, a total of 312 light heads will have been upgraded since 2015. Lighting upgrades will continue annually until the entire village is complete.

\$40,000 has been budgeted for on-going sanitary sewer improvements. The sewer mains on Grove Street, and Henry Street are scheduled to be slip lined.

Sewer rates will remain unchanged this year at \$150. Water rates will increase .10 cents from \$3.39 to \$3.49 per 1,000 gallons. The daily consumption rate of .21 cents will increase with the Monroe County rates by .01 cent to .22 cents.

\$16,000 has been budgeted to replace a 6 inch water meter for Village II. \$20,000 has also been budgeted to replace 10 fire hydrants that are older than 50 years.

Last year, the Village received a grant for \$225,154 from DASNY to expand and improve the Jennejahn Lodge. Work was supposed to take place in March, April and May of this year. Unfortunately bids for the project came in higher

than anticipated, so it was decided to push the job off until the spring of 2020 in hope that a re-bid, scheduled for December, will have better results. By waiting a year, accumulated savings will contribute to the finance of the project. The building will be closed for 3 months during the expansion from March, April and May of 2020, and will be unavailable for rental usage during that time.

Household Hazardous Waste Collection

For Parma & Hilton residents

**Saturday
June 15th**

7:45am to 12:00pm

Ogden Highway Garage
2432 South Union Street, Spencerport

By appointment only call 392-9464

Can't make it? Call 753-7600 or go online
www.monroecounty.gov/hhw to reschedule.



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Old Landmark Demolished

The old brick chimney at the east end of Hazen Street, and on the bank of Salmon Creek, has been demolished. The structure was deemed unsafe by new owners and was taken down.

The old chimney was known to many older residents, especially those who used to play around it in their youth. In recent years no one quite knew what it was used for.

After a bit of research in a book entitled, "1877 *History of Monroe County*", it states, "In 1874 Clark and Crary built a large steam sawmill, stave and barrel factory at Unionville", (Unionville was the original name for Hilton). Leith Wright also states in her book, "*Hilton U.S.A*", that a stave and barrel factory was built on the banks of Salmon Creek in 1874 by Riley Clark and Nathan Crary. During my research I found that the chimney was used to exhaust smoke from a furnace that fired a boiler which created steam that in turn ran a sawmill and cooper shop. The operation changed hands over the years, with Willard Judd as owner of The Flouring Mill, followed by the Upton Company. In 1914 the operation was purchased by a group of stockholders organized by A.B. Fraser and Fred Zoller and incorporated as the Hilton Milling and Warehouse. The cooper shop was still in operation until the 1930s and the chimney was still in use, at that time as an exhaust to shape barrel staves and heat metal hoops. The barrels were used for the shipment of Hilton apples and flour. It was stated that about 100 barrels of flour a day poured out of the grinders and filled up to two carloads departing the Hilton Train Depot, and transported all over the world.

In 1965 after 50 years of operation as the Hilton Milling and Warehouse the business was sold to Alfonso Gioia and Bros. On October 4, 1972, a disastrous fire leveled the lumber warehouse. Only the apple cold storage and the old brick chimney survived. Since the old chimney has been demolished, the cold storage building is the lone survivor of a once thriving operation.

A warm welcome
 to the newest businesses in Hilton!

Business News



Studio 22 Fitness

67 Old Hojack Lane
 585-366-4295
 Owners: John & Maddie Nizamis
 web: studio22fit.com

Hilton's newest fitness facility, offering 24/7 access, group fitness classes and personal training. State of the art equipment and friendly, knowledgeable staff.

Hours: Open 24/7
 staffed Mon. - Fri. 9am-8pm, and 9am-2pm Sat. & Sun.

Casuallure

51 Railroad Ave., Suite C
 585-734-7030
 Owner: Debbie Montrallos
 web: casuallure.com



Customized outdoor entertaining for both residential and commercial. Outdoor furnishings, LED Lanterns, decor and more. High quality service at fair prices!

Hours: Tues. 4pm-8pm, and Sat. 10am-2pm, & by Appt.



Two Talking Heads

7 Upton Street, Suite 6
 585-615-3586
 Owner: Scott & Alison Zimmer
 web: twotalkingheads.com

Photography, videography, advertising/marketing. Text, animation, graphic, photo and video content tailored to your needs. Social media management and copy services to tell your story.

Hours: By Appointment

Things you can do to prevent storm water run-off pollution

- Use fertilizers sparingly and sweep up driveways, sidewalks, and roads.
- Never dump anything down storm drains.
- Vegetate bare spots in your yard.
- Compost your yard waste.
- Take your car to the car wash instead of washing it in the driveway.
- Check car for leaks and recycle motor oil.
- Pick up after your pet.



Hilton Apple Festival

The Hilton Apple Fest is a community event with crafters from all over the country. This event supports our local not-for-profit organizations by giving them an opportunity to make money for their group. It also gives our farmers market and apple growers an opportunity to sell their goods. Come join us at the Community Center on Saturday, October 5th and Sunday, October 6th. For more information, call 392-7773 and leave a message; or email us at info@hiltonapplefest.org; or come to a meeting on the fourth Monday of each month (*except May, that meeting is on the third Monday*) on the second floor of the Community Center at 6:30 pm. We'd love to meet you!

SAVE THE DATES

11th Annual Hilton-Parma Community Garage Sale

Fri., May 17th & Sat., May 18th 9:00-5:00
To be included as a seller submit name, phone & address to Parma Rec. office 392-9030, by May 3rd. Registration is FREE

Hilton Memorial Day Parade

Monday, May 27th at 10:00 am
 Begins at the High School on East Ave., to Main St., to West Ave., ending at the Gazebo.

Junk in the Trunk Sale

Saturday, June 15th 9:30 am - 3:00 pm
 at the Community Center
 register to sell at the Village Office
 spaces available for \$10 & \$20

Hilton Fire Department Carnival

Wed. July 10th through Sat., July 13th
 Kiddie Parade Saturday at 11:45am
 Grand Parade Thursday at 7:00 pm

Hilton Apple Festival

Saturday, October 5th, 10-5
 & Sunday October 6th, 10-4:30

Did you know...



Refuse & recycling should be placed at the curb *no later than 7:00 am* on your scheduled collection day and *no earlier than 6:00 p.m.* the night before. Containers should be brought back to the house the same day as collection.

Garbage Recycling Holiday Pick-up Schedule



<u>HOLIDAY</u>	<u>ALL DEPTS CLOSED</u>	<u>PICK-UP DATE</u>
Memorial Day	Monday, May 27 th	Tuesday, May 28 th
Independence Day	Thursday, July 4 th	Wednesday, July 3rd
.	Friday, July 5 th	services unaffected
Labor Day	Monday, September 2 nd	Tuesday, September 3 rd
Columbus Day	Monday, October 14 th	Tuesday, October 15 th
Veteran's Day	Monday, November 11 th	Tuesday, November 12 th
Thanksgiving	Thursday, November 28 th	Wednesday, November 27th
.	Friday, November 29 th	services unaffected
Christmas	Wednesday, December 25 th	Thursday, December 26 th
New Year's 2020	Wednesday, January 1 st	Thursday, January 2 nd

If your normal pick-up date falls on the day depts are closed, your garbage and recycling will be picked up on the new pick-up date. All other days remain unaffected and on normal schedule.

Rain or Shine!

6th Annual Classic Wheels on Main Street

Sponsored by the
Village of Hilton &
Carb Kings Car Club of Hilton



Main Street will be closed to traffic
from 8 am until 5:00 pm.

**Bring the
whole family!**

**Saturday,
August 17th
9:00^{am} to 4:00^{pm}**

Children's Activities

"Kids Zone" - Bounce House,
Touch-a-Truck, Build-a-Car Station,
Ice Cream Truck
Sponsored by Parma Parks and Recreation

Restaurants open throughout the Village

Enjoy the DJ

Proceeds benefit local charities

For information,
to sponsor or volunteer:

Email **Jeff** at
gilligansae@hotmail.com
or call **585-764-4198**

Car owners may register online at
www.hiltonny.org.

Recycle with Care

Five years ago Monroe County did away with separating paper, plastic, glass and metal materials in their recycling program and made a new policy accepting the mixture of all materials together in either blue or yellow bins.

Since the inception of recycling in the Village of Hilton, employees have been very dedicated to adhering to the county's policy and have worked diligently to keep garbage and other unacceptable materials out of recycling loads. The recycling transfer facility has been known to reject an entire load when such materials have been discovered. This can be costly in both time and money for a municipality. The Village of Hilton DPW has never had a load rejected due to the great care recycling crews have taken to keep unacceptable items from entering the recycling trucks.

Please be conscientious about what you place in your recycling box and try to be understanding when something is not accepted by the recycling handler. Your cooperation is greatly appreciated!

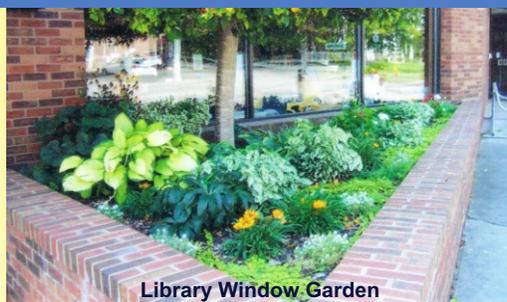
Acceptable materials are as follows:

Empty - Clean - Unbagged ...

- **Plastics** - bottles, jugs, jars, tubs, caps, spray pumps and lids. (No coffee pods, utensils, cups, straws).
- **Paper** - milk and juice cartons, drink boxes and soup boxes, pizza boxes and paper egg cartons. Clean, dry, office, computer and shredded paper, junk mail, cards, envelopes, brown bags. (No paper toweling or soiled paper).
- **Glass** - food and beverage bottles, jugs and jars. (No ceramics, plate glass, auto glass, Pyrex, leaded glass, mirrors, flat glass, drinking glasses or light bulbs).
- **Metal** - can lids, defaced license plates, pots, pans and aluminum foil-ware.
- **Cans** - food and beverage. (No paint, pesticide or petroleum containers).
- **Aerosols** - (containers must be empty, No spray paint or pesticides).
- **Books** - phone books and all soft cover books, magazines, catalogs, newspapers
- **Box board** - cereal, tissue, gift, shoe, detergent and cake boxes. (Remove box liners and throw away).
- **Tubes** - Paper toweling and toilet paper
- **Corrugated cardboard** - must be flattened and not exceed 2' x 4'.



Spring Garden



Library Window Garden



Summer Garden

Hilton Garden Club Celebrates 60 Years!

The Hilton Garden Club was formed in 1959 when the first meeting was held in the home of Eleanor Harradine on Burritt Road. Fourteen members attended and heard a program given by local florist, Willett Justice.

Through the years the club funded and worked on beautification projects in the Village of Hilton and the Town of Parma, including planting flower boxes on Main Street, donating cherry trees and planting bulbs at the new Town Hall, maintaining a small park on Underwood Avenue, cleaning out the Smith Family Cemetery on North Avenue, planting shrubs beneath the village signs, donating a tree for the West Avenue School and planting a memorial garden at the Parma Union Cemetery on Parma-Center Road. In 1964, the club started holding an annual Christmas Bazaar at the Marple Furniture Store on Canning Street - an annual event that ran for 16 years. Funds raised were donated to several charities and for community projects including a donation for 2 CPR mannequins to the Hilton Fire Department and a donation to the Village for Christmas decorations. The club also had a booth at the Hilton Apple Festival. In 1985, the club participated in the Hilton Centennial Celebration by making centennial wreaths, planting hanging baskets on Main Street and donating money for plantings at the gazebo.

Today the club continues to support community beautification by maintaining the garden around the sign in front of the Community Center and the planter box in front of the Parma Library. This year, the members will organize the planting of the flower boxes that line Main Street in the Village.

The Hilton Garden Club welcomes new members. Meetings are held the third Thursday from 7-9 pm at the Hilton Baptist Church, 50 Lake Avenue. For more information, call 392-8522.

The club's annual plant sale will be held on Saturday, May 18th in the Baptist Church parking lot from 9-12 pm. Proceeds from the sale help fund the club's civic beautification projects and monthly programs.

In recognition of their 60 years, the Hilton Garden Club will hold a celebration at the Community Center on Thursday, June 20 at 6:30 pm with the unveiling of their memorial plaque.



2018 flower plantings

The Hilton Garden Club has volunteered to adopt the white village flower boxes for 2019. The club designed and selected the flowers in a classic theme in honor of their 60th anniversary. Included will be vibrant green Lemongrass in the center of each box, surrounded by multicolored Million Bells. The plants and soil, from Van Putte Gardens, will be purchased by the Hilton Department of Public Works. The club's flower box committee will demonstrate how and where to plant the flowers to community volunteers and club members on Saturday, May 25th. Weeding and watering will be done by DPW crews. The club hopes that the community enjoys their plant selections this year! A huge thank you to Mike McHenry and the DPW crews!

*Submitted by Bethany Oyer
Chair of the flower box committee*



Free
**Classic Car
 Cruise Nights**



Bring a lawn chair
 enjoy a live DJ
 and Ice Cream

Every Saturday
June 1st -
September 28th

From 6:00-8:00 pm
in the RTS parking lot

For more
 information call
 coordinator,
Dave DeConinck
748-3353

**Brush
 Pick-up**

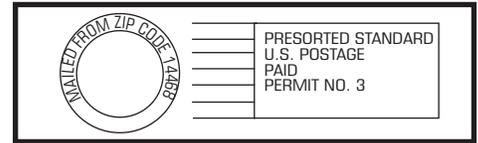
Brush will be
 picked up on the
 normal schedule
 as follows:

*First and Third
 Friday
 of Each Month*
**North of
 West Ave.
 & East Ave.**

*Second and Fourth
 Friday
 of Each Month*
**South of
 West Ave.
 & East Ave.**



VILLAGE OF HILTON
 59 HENRY STREET
 HILTON, NY 14468



Postal Customer
 Hilton NY 14468



YARD WASTE COLLECTION



Fri. April 26th, Fri. May 31st, Fri. June 28th, Fri. September 27th

Place at the curb before 7:30 AM.

Material must be placed in a plastic or metal container.

No Plastic or Paper Bags ~ No Cardboard Boxes

Acceptable Material

Sod, leaves, gravel, small stones, twigs, hedge trimmings, grass, and stumps
(Place stumps next to containers)

More than 3 containers are acceptable
No stickers required

Loose material raked to the curb will NOT be picked up
Containers over 30 pounds will NOT be picked up.



Hilton Village Office 392-4144

Shari Pearce, *Village Manager/Clerk*
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 Vicky Taylor, *Customer Service*

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