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### Town News

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Another beautiful Friday!

Important information and deadlines compiled for you by Town of Ulysses staff...

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#### **TOWN OF ULYSSES NEWS:**

##### **Election dates/deadlines**

The last day to register by mail is October 11<sup>th</sup> to vote in the November 5<sup>th</sup> General Election. There are four seats up for election this fall in the Town of Ulysses: two Town Board members, one Town Justice and the Highway Superintendent. In addition, all Tompkins County residents will vote on a County Judge and a State Supreme Court Justice. New this year is early voting, which will run October 26<sup>th</sup>-November 3<sup>rd</sup>. Get all the details at the Tompkins County Board of Elections website: <http://tompkinscountyny.gov/boe> .

##### **Yard Waste**

The Town Highway Department is not accepting any yard waste at this time. Our highway crew is working hard to grind and haul the existing pile, and hopes to offer resident yard waste drop off in the spring. Keep an eye on this newsletter for updates. In the meantime, you can contact Cayuga Compost <http://cayugacompost.com/compost/composting-guidelines/> or Tompkins County Recycling <https://recycletopkins.org/whatdoidowith/#!rc-cpage=281835> to find out more about dropping off brush at these locations.

##### **Deer Management Permit Deadline is Oct. 1**

The deadline to apply for deer management permits (DMPs; antlerless tags) is fast approaching, and hunters must apply for DMPs by Oct. 1. Hunters should know the Wildlife Management Unit (WMU) they intend to hunt and review their chances of selection before applying. The application fee for DMPs is \$10. The fee is waived for junior hunters and Lifetime License holders who purchased a Lifetime (Sportsman) License before Oct. 1, 2009. Hunters who have purchased a hunting license are eligible to apply for up to two DMPs that may be used to harvest antlerless deer from a specified WMU. Antlerless deer harvest is crucial in helping to balance the deer herd with available habitat. Hunting licenses and DMP's may be purchased at the Town Clerk's Office, Monday through Friday, 8-4pm.

**Habitat Nature Preserve updates**

Councilwoman Nancy Zahler created a press release to share updates with the community. Read it here: <https://www.ulysses.ny.us/boards/boards-salo-habitat/>

***TOMPKINS COUNTY:*****Trumansburg School Taxes Due Sept. 30th**

School taxes for property owners in the Trumansburg School District are due September 30<sup>th</sup> and can be paid at any Tompkins Trust Company. **The Town does not collect school taxes.** You can find a copy of your school tax bill at

<http://www.taxlookup.net/index.aspx?county=tompkins> Questions about your bill should be directed to Julie Kephart at BOCES, 607-257-1555 Ex 1042.

**Free Rabies Vaccination clinics**

The Tompkins County Health Dept. will hold free rabies clinics this fall, in various locations around the county beginning on Sept. 25. There will be a clinic at the **Trumansburg School Bus Garage on**

**Thursday, October 3<sup>rd</sup> from 7-9pm.** For more information and to pre-register, visit

<http://tompkinscountyny.gov/health/eh/neighborhood/rabies#clinics>

**2020 Census**

The US Census Bureau is gearing up to count everyone living in Tompkins County in April 2020. Our Town and the County are urging all residents- regardless of citizenship or visa status, with or without documentation- to complete the census when it is sent to your household. To be sure the Census Bureau has an accurate list of all addresses, they are sending Census staff into the field in our County this Fall.

Here is a good link that explains why there are Census Takers in your neighborhood.

<https://2020census.gov/en/census-takers.html?#>

We know that residents may be cautious about unfamiliar people in your neighborhood due to recent break-ins. Census Bureau employees will be wearing a government badge around their necks with an id photo. During address canvassing any field workers will also very likely have a Census Bureau shoulder bag and a handheld laptop. We encourage you to cooperate with their efforts to assure that we get a full and complete count of everyone living here in April 2020, which enables our County and Town to get our fair share of federal and state funding for local services.

If you would like to work for the Census Bureau, get more information here: <https://2020census.gov/en/jobs/job-details.html>

**UPCOMING TOWN MEETINGS:**

All town meetings are held at the town hall at 10 Elm St., Trumansburg, unless noted otherwise.

For agendas and other meeting information, click on the event on the calendar here:

<http://ulysses.ny.us/calendar/?category=Government>

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Forward this message to anyone else that you think would be interested. We'd love to connect with more residents. To send questions or comments, or be removed from this list, please e-mail

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Best,

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