Village Office 31 N. Main Street Homer, NY 13077 Phone: 607-749-3322 www.HomerNY.org



Village Police: 607-749-2022
Newton Water Works: 607-749-2511
Glenwood Cemetery: 607-749-3517
Streets and Parks: 607-749-3813
Recreation: 607-749-2161
Codes: 607-745-3177
Homer Fire Department: 607-749-3121

### BOARD OF TRUSTEES PUBLIC HEARING

January 8th, 2020

**PUBLIC HEARING #1:** 

Pursuant to Village Law Section 5-508 (3), the Village of Homer Board of Trustees will hold a Public Hearing to Adopt the Final Budget of the Village of Homer for the FY 20/21.

### Further, monies from Special Reserves and Fund Balance will be used thusly:

- ➤ Police Car Reserve for a New Vehicle at \$39,052.00
- ➤ Municipal Property Reserve for Local Match of a Dam Removal Grant at \$50,000.00
- Municipal Property Reserve for Local Match of a Salt Shed Grant at \$80,000.00
- ➤ Machinery Reserve for Two Garbage Trucks at \$110,000.00
- > Fund Balance for Two Garbage Trucks at \$110,000.00

**PUBLIC HEARING #2:** 

Recreation Reserves of up to \$3,500.00 will be used for RecDesk software maintenance.

Village Office 31 N. Main Street Homer, NY 13077 Phone: 607-749-3322 www.HomerNY.org



Village Police: 607-749-2022
Newton Water Works: 607-749-2511
Glenwood Cemetery: 607-749-3517
Streets and Parks: 607-749-3813
Recreation: 607-749-2161
Codes: 607-745-3177
Homer Fire Department: 607-749-3121

### BOARD OF TRUSTEES MEETING AGENDA

January 8th, 2020

- 1. Regular Meeting of the Board of Trustees called to order by Deputy Mayor Patrick Clune
- 2. Approve Minutes –December 11<sup>th</sup> and December 17<sup>th</sup>, 2019
- 3. Treasurer's report:
  - A. Authorize payment of bills

F & G Funds – Vouchers 269 – 283 \$70,988.42
 A Fund – Vouchers 813 – 876 \$65,363.23

- **4. Report of Offices and filing of written reports:** Codes, Dog Control, DPW, Fire Department, Fire Inspector, Police Department, Recreation, Water & Sewer
- 5. Privilege of the Floor
- 6. Old Business
- 7. New Business
  - A. Review and Approve retainer agreement with Pomeroy, Armstrong, and Casullo, LLP for representation for revenue anticipation note for route 11 grant.
  - B. Review and approve lease agreement for folding machine with Ed and Ed Business Technology
  - C. Review and approve time off carryforwards to February 29, 2020 as presented
  - D. Review and Approve Budget Adjustments
  - E. Approve Personnel Policy Changes
  - F. Notification of wait list for Compost Bins
  - G. Approve using water/ sewer fund balance to purchase water meters
  - H. Approve letter to close Tompkins Trust Company Newton Water Works Account, withdraw \$366,718.55, and deposit funds in First National Bank of Dryden Newton Water Works Account
  - I. Approve letter to close Tompkins Trust Company CDBG account, withdraw \$.03, and deposit funds in First National Bank of Dryden CDBG Account.
  - J. Approve letter to close Tompkins Trust Company second CDBG account, withdraw \$191,704.56, and deposit funds in First National Bank of Dryden CDBG account.
  - K. Approve letter to close Tompkins Special Reserve Funds account, withdraw \$16,105.91, and deposit funds in First National Bank of Dryden Special Reserves account.
  - L. Discuss and approve change in dates for Board meetings and/or Work sessions.
- 8. Attorney
- 9. Comments by Board Members
- 10. Executive Session Per NYS Public Officers Law, Article 7 §105
- 11. Adjournment

### **Country Acres Animal Shelter**

Record count on this entire report: 33

Run Date: 12-30-2019 02:30:29 PM by Lindsay Andersen

No data limits were specified for this report

Town:

VILLAGE OF HOMER

# Completed Incident Register 12-01-2019 to 12-30-2019

Group By Town Order By Town

Page Number: 13 of 15

Assigne		Incident ID
ssigned: 12-02-2019 03:58:26 PM	12-02-2019 03:56:26 PM	Origination
Reas	0	Priority Town
on(s): Running At Large,Stra	Village Of Homer	Town
e,Stray	Lindsay Andersen	Assign to
	Animal Picked Up	Final Outcome

Complete: 12-02-2019 03:58:31 PM Call taken by: Lindsay Andersen

Arrived: - -

.. AM

Location:

Cycle Time: 02 M Citizen Making Report Erica Hurchla Animal owner Not Specified

4 North Fulton Street

Assigned: 12-19-2019 10:42:32 AM 12-19-2019 10:41:56 AM Pet Name Gender Crossbreed Breed Species Animal Description, Animal Number FEMALE/NOT... AMERICAN PIT BULL... DOG ID#: 2127 Homer, NY 13077 Reason(s): Running At Large 0 Village Of Homer Registration Vacc ID Microchip License Lindsay Andersen Age Seconday color Date of Birth Primary color **ADULT** RED MEDIUM Current Owner Animal Picked Up

Cycle Time: 40 S Complete: 12-19-2019 10:42:37 AM Citizen Making Report Call taken by: Lindsay Andersen Animal owner

Location:

Arrived:

Breed Pet Name Gender Crossbreed Species Animal Description, Animal Number DOG ID#: 2130 BEAR FEMALE/NOT... TERRIER Homer, NY 13077 Homer Police Department James Street Vacc ID Registration Microchip License RABIES12... Seconday color Size Date of Birth Age Primary color Not Specified SMALL YOUNG BLACK Current Owner 5 Duane Street Cortland, NY 13045 Tasha Sweeney

**End of Group** Group count: Pet Name Gender Crossbreed Breed Species Animal Description, Animal Number SUGHOCY FEMALE/NOT... AMERICAN PIT BULL... DOG ID#: 2131 Vacc ID Registration License Microchip RABIES12... Seconday color Age Size Date of Birth Primary color WHITE **ADULT** RED MEDIUM Current Owner 5 Duane Street Cortland, NY 13045 Tasha Sweeney

## Country Acres Animal Shelter Record count on this entire report: 20 Run Date: 12-30-2019 02:31:03 PM by Lindsay Andersen

Town:

VILLAGE OF HOMER

## Disposition Register 12-01-2019 to 12-30-2019 Group By Town Order By Town Page Number: 8 of 9

Intake Dat	isposition Days in ate Shelter		ame <u>Animal</u>	
12-02-2019 12	2-17-2019 16	Zara	#2127.F.Do	#2127.F.Dog.American Pit Bull Terrier
	2-19-2019 1	Bear	#2130.F.Do	g.Terrier
	2-19-2019 1	Sugho		#2131.F.Dog.American Pit Bull Terrier
3	18			
	Disposition Method         Intake Date         D           Euthanized         12-02-2019         11           Return To Owner         12-19-2019         11           Return To Owner         12-19-2019         11	Intake Date         Disposition Date           12-02-2019         12-17-2019           12-19-2019         12-19-2019           12-19-2019         12-19-2019	nod         Intake Date Intake Date Intake Date         Disposition Days in Shelter Kennel/ID           12-02-2019         12-17-2019         16           12-19-2019         12-19-2019         1           12-19-2019         12-19-2019         1           12-19-2019         12-19-2019         1	nod         Intake Date Intake Date Intake Date         Disposition Days in Shelter Kennel/ID         Pet Name           12-02-2019         12-17-2019         16         Zara           12-19-2019         12-19-2019         1         Bear           12-19-2019         12-19-2019         1         Sughocyi

Village Office 31 N. Main Street Homer, NY 13077 Phone: 607-749-3322 www.HomerNY.org



Village Police: 607-749-2022
Newton Water Works: 607-7492511
Glenwood Cemetery: 607-7493517
Streets and Parks: 607-749-3813
Recreation: 607-749-0663
Codes: 607-745-0004
Homer Fire Department: 607-749-

3121

### **December 2019 Streets and Parks Monthly Report**

### Submitted by Superintendent Michael E Harter Working Foreman Philip Stockton

- Christmas preparations, Wreaths and garland, cleaned snow from pavilion and walk paths for Santa on the green (Light of my Life ceremony).
- Removed snow piles from many of our street turn arounds and parking lots.
- Snow blower on Bobcat used on many streets to widen.
- Continue pruning of trees, plow truck clearances.
- Put 3 No Trespassing signs up at Community Building.
- Started putting new reflective street signs up all over Village.
- Hauled all snow off parking lot by Community Building (Main Street snow).
- Pulled grates out of roof of vac, all cleaned and prepped for painting.
- Started cold patching streets. (fixing pot holes).
- Put 2 No Trespassing signs up at Durkee Park.
- Tried prepping the green for ice rink, 2 times so far (as weather permits).
- Cleaning snow away from fire hydrants.
- Removed snow from Hannum Ave because of a parking issue, Center for the Arts.
- Cleaning catch basins as needed.
- Street light outages are still getting reported by us.
- Warm weather has hit through the Holidays. I'm sure colder weather and snow will be back soon.

Village Office 31 N. Main Street Homer, NY 13077 Phone: 607-749-3322 www.HomerNY.org



Village Police: 607-749-2022 Newton Water Works: 607-749-2511

Glenwood Cemetery: 607-749-3517 Streets and Parks: 607-749-3813 Recreation: 607-749-0663 Codes: 607-745-0004 Homer Fire Department: 607-749-3121

### **November 2019 Maintenance Report**

Submitted by Nicholas Casterline MEO/Mechanic

### **HFD** updates

- Normal Maintenance
- 521 (Tanker)
- 522 (Tanker)
- 531 (Tower)
- 541 (Heavy Rescue)
- 542 (EMS Rescue)
- 501 (Engine)
- 503 (Engine)
- 511 (Brush Truck) Removed skid unit
- (Station)
- Check all equipment

### **HPD Update**

- Normal Maintenance
- 125
- 126 new battery
- 127 in storage for winter
- 225 Flat tire replaced
- 226
- 250 New tires installed

### **Street Update**

# 28 (Big Plow) have hydraulic cylinders leaking but will wait till summer to repair.

- # 23 (RAM 3500)
- #21 (RAM 2500)
- # 33 (Kubota) Replaced blown o-ring
- # 22 (F-550)
- # 40 (dragger tractor)
- # 36 (Skid steer) LOF

.

Village Office 31 N. Main Street Homer, NY 13077 Phone: 607-749-3322 www.HomerNY.org



Village Police: 607-749-2022 Newton Water Works: 607-749-2511

Glenwood Cemetery: 607-749-3517
Streets and Parks: 607-749-3813
Recreation: 607-749-0663
Codes: 607-745-0004
Homer Fire Department: 607-749-3121

- #31 (F-550)
- # 29 (F-550)
- # 30 (Dump Truck) Installed new rear warning also replaced roof warning lights.
- #27 (F 250)
- #26 (Ventrac) warrantee computer replacement. Fuel supply issue found and repaired
- #20 John Deere (Backhoe Cemetery) repairs in progress, parts have been ordered

### Rec. Dept.

- #16 (Promaster) looking into snow tires
- #17 (Caravan) Front brake pads and rotors replaced, LOF

### Water Update

None at this time

### Misc.

- Normal maintenance continues on all equipment.
- Worked on quotes for new equipment as needed.
- Work on building 5-year and 10-year plans for vehicle replacement for all departments.



January 6, 2020

Honorable Mayor and Trustees,

The monthly fire report has been submitted for your review.

I attended the Company Meetings, Fire Police Meeting, Village Board Meeting, and the Department Board Meeting along with some of our training, County Chiefs and Fire Advisory Board, Village Department Head meeting.

Deputy Chief Harter and I and firefighter John Ryand Jr. made the trip to Myersdale PA to do a pre paint inspection on the new engine. There were some issues, but we are working thru them with the manufacturer.

I'm still working along with Treasurer Digennaro on the paperwork and forms to try and ensure that Firefighter Bush is officially declared a Line of Duty Death (LODD) and the family gets the benefits they deserve.

I also met with Fire Protection Specialist Dave Sayles from OFPC to initiate the paperwork to get LODD recognition on the New York State Memorial in Albany.

Respectfully,

Mahlon Irish Jr. Fire Chief

### Incidents by District (Summary)

### Alarm Date Between {12/01/2019} And {12/31/2019}

			Pct of		Pct of
Dist	rict	Count	Incidents	Est Losses	Losses
CV	Town of Cortlandville	1	2.85%	\$0	0.00%
MA	Mutual Aid	2	5.71%	\$0	0.00%
OD	Outside District	1	2.85%	\$0	0.00%
SH	Town of Summerhill	2	5.71%	\$0	0.00%
TH	Town of Homer	11	31.42 %	\$0	0.00%
TS	Town of Scott	4	11.42 %	\$0	0.00%
VH	Village of Homer	14	40.00%	\$0	0.00%
Tota	1 Incident Count: 35	Total Est 1	Losses:	\$0	

### Incident Type Report (Summary)

### Alarm Date Between {12/01/2019} And {12/31/2019} and District = "VH "

		Pct of	Total	Pct of
Incident Type	Count	Incidents	Est Loss	Losses
3 Rescue & Emergency Medical Service Incident				
311 Medical assist, assist EMS crew	4	28.57%	\$0	0.00%
	4	28.57%	\$0	0.00%
4 Hazardous Condition (No Fire)				
412 Gas leak (natural gas or LPG)	3	21.42%	\$0	0.00%
	3	21.42%	\$0	0.00%
5 Service Call				
531 Smoke or odor removal	2	14.28%	\$0	0.00%
	2	14.28%	\$0	0.00%
7 False Alarm & False Call		14 000	0.0	0.00%
735 Alarm system sounded due to malfunction	2	14.28%	\$0	
745 Alarm system activation, no fire -	3	21.42%	\$0	0.00%
	5	35.71%	\$0	0.00%

Total Incident Count: 14

Total Est Loss:

### Incident Type Report (Summary)

### Alarm Date Between {12/01/2019} And {12/31/2019} and District = "TH "

		Pct of	Total	Pct of
Incident Type	Count	Incidents	Est Loss	Losses
3 Rescue & Emergency Medical Service Incident				
311 Medical assist, assist EMS crew	1	9.09%	\$0	0.00%
322 Motor vehicle accident with injuries	3	27.27%	\$0	0.00%
324 Motor Vehicle Accident with no injuries	4	36.36%	\$0	0.00%
	8	72.72%	\$0	0.00%
4 Hazardous Condition (No Fire) 444 Power line down	1	9.09%	\$0	0.00%
444 FOWEL TIME GOWN		9.09%	\$0	0.00%
	1	9.09%	şu	0.00%
6 Good Intent Call				
622 No Incident found on arrival at dispatch	1	9.09%	\$0	0.00%
	1	9.09%	\$0	0.00%
8 Severe Weather & Natural Disaster				
813 Wind storm, tornado/hurricane assessment	1	9.09%	\$0	0.00%
	1	9.09%	\$0	0.00%
Total Incident Count: 11	Total Es	t Loss:	\$0	

### Incident Type Report (Summary)

### Alarm Date Between {12/01/2019} And {12/31/2019} and District = "TS "

		Pct of	Total	Pct of
Incident Type	Count	Incidents	Est Loss	Losses
1 Fire				2011 SON OLD THE STATE OF THE S
100 Fire, Other	1	25.00%	\$0	0.00%
	1	25.00%	\$0	0.00%
2 December 6 Emparation Modical Sorvice Incident				
3 Rescue & Emergency Medical Service Incident 311 Medical assist, assist EMS crew	1	25.00%	\$0	0.00%
324 Motor Vehicle Accident with no injuries	1	25.00%	\$0	0.00%
	2	50.00%	\$0	0.00%
6 Good Intent Call				
622 No Incident found on arrival at dispatch	1	25.00%	\$0	0.00%
		25.00%	\$0	0.00%

Total Incident Count: 4

Total Est Loss:

### Incident Type Report (Summary)

### Alarm Date Between {12/01/2019} And {12/31/2019} and District = "SH "

		Pct of	Total	Pct of
Incident Type	Count	Incidents	Est Loss	Losses
5 Service Call				
554 Assist invalid	1	50.00%	\$0	0.00%
	1	50.00%	\$0	0.00%
6 Good Intent Call				
611 Dispatched & cancelled en route	1	50.00%	\$0	0.00%
-	1	50.00%	\$0	0.00%
Total Incident Count: 2	Total Es	t Loss:	\$0	

### Incident Type Report (Summary)

### Alarm Date Between {12/01/2019} And {12/31/2019} and District = "CV "

Incident Type	Count	Pct of Incidents	Total Est Loss	Pct of Losses
3 Rescue & Emergency Medical Service Incident 322 Motor vehicle accident with injuries	1	100.00%	\$0	0.00%
	1	100.00%	\$0	0.00%

Total Incident Count: 1

Total Est Loss:

### Incident Type Report (Summary)

### Alarm Date Between {12/01/2019} And {12/31/2019} and District = "MA

Incident Type	Count	Pct of Incidents	Total Est Loss	Pct of Losses
5 Service Call 571 Cover assignment, standby, moveup	2	100.00%	\$0	0.00%
	2	100.00%	\$0	0.00%

Total Incident Count: 2

Total Est Loss:

### Incident Type Report (Summary)

### Alarm Date Between {12/01/2019} And {12/31/2019} and District = "OD "

		Pct of	Total	Pct of
Incident Type	Count	Incidents	Est Loss	Losses
4 Hazardous Condition (No Fire)				
444 Power line down	1	100.00%	\$0	0.00%
	1	100.00%	\$0	0.00%

Total Incident Count: 1

Total Est Loss:

### Staff Activity by Activity Code (Summary)

Date Between {12/01/2019} And {12/31/2019} and Activity Code In "FX", "MX"

Activity Code	Staff Count	Total Hrs	Pct Hrs
FX Fire alarm response.	245	147.30	88.12%
MX Medical At Scene	52	19.84	11.87%
	297	167.14	

Village Office 31 N. Main Street Homer, NY 13077 Phone: 607-749-3322 www.HomerNY.org



Village Police: 607-749-2022
Newton Water Works: 607-7492511
Glenwood Cemetery: 607-749-3517
Streets and Parks: 607-749-3813
Recreation: 607-749-0663
Codes: 607-745-0004
Homer Fire Department: 607-7493121

### **December 2019 Fire Inspector Monthly Report**

Submitted by Nicholas Casterline

### **Inspections:**

None this Month

### Other:

- New Laptop setup
- Visited the Homer Fire Dept. Community Building to consult on a door repair that they
  wanted to make after the recent break in. It was determined that the repair that they
  wanted to make was a safety issue and not allowed by Code. After further looking at the
  door, it was determined that they needed to hire a door repair company to properly fix the
  door's panic bar system to solve the problem. Consulted with Kevin to verify this
  information.

Chief of Police Robert Pitman

Sergeant Roland Eckard

Records Clerk Kimberly Reitano

### HOMER POLICE DEPARTMENT

43 ½ JAMES STREET HOMER, New York 13077 (607) 749-2022 FAX: (607) 749-3675 homerpolice@yahoo.com



December 2019 Monthly report

Date: December 27, 2019

For the time period: 11/26/19 - 12/26/19

Mayor and members of the board,

### **Patrol Monthly Activities:**

Please refer to the attached detailed reports for last month. There were a total of 405 calls for service during the month of December. Officers made 2 Penal Law arrests in November, which consisted of 1 misdemeanor and 1 violation. They conducted a total of 63 vehicle and traffic stops, which resulted in 24 traffic tickets being issued. They made 1 driving while intoxicated arrest. They also investigated 15 motor vehicle collisions, 13 of which involved property damage and 2 involved personal injury.

Notable investigations or incidents during the month of December: a follow-up investigation to a reported stolen motor vehicle where an arrest was made for falsely reporting an incident; 3 separate burglaries where buildings were entered and either minor damage or tampering was discovered; a larceny of mail complaint and a larceny from an unlocked motor vehicle.

### **School Officers Reports:**

Please refer to the attached detailed school resource officer's report for the month of December of 2019. There were a total of 320 incidents that the resource officers were involved in during the month of December.

### Recent updates:

Security cameras updates: No issues with the current cameras during the month of December. I have met with a representative from Beard Electric regarding the installation of security cameras in the community building.

Patrol vehicle updates: No issues with the patrol vehicles regarding maintenance. The 2020 Ford Explorer was taken to Priority Fire in Cortland on December 11, 2019 for the installation of the divider and other equipment. It is expected to be in-service during the week of December 23<sup>rd</sup>.

Bike patrol updates: Bikes have been placed in storage for the winter months.

Grant updates: With the holiday seasons approaching we will be utilizing more STOP DWI funding for DWI patrols.

### Miscellaneous and Events:

The hypodermic needle kiosk from the Southern Tier AIDS Program will be delivered sometime during the beginning of January. However, proper security precautions need to be in place before it can be utilized therefore it may not be available until early spring (kiosk needs to be secured to a concrete pad). Once this is installed it will be beneficial to residents as a means of having a location to properly dispose of these items.

On November 26, 2019, Sgt Eckard and I attended training at SUNY Broome in Binghamton. The training was regarding crime scene management and equivocal death investigation with an emphasis on suicides and child death. The training was attended by several agencies in the area and it was beneficial.

November 30, 2019, was "Small Business Saturday" and I held my annual "Coffee with the Chief" at Sinfully Sweet Café. It allowed me time to speak with residents and talk to them regarding any concerns they maybe having.

On December 4, 2019, Officer Howell and I, along with his family, attended the American Red Cross of Central New York's 21<sup>st</sup> annual "Real Hero breakfast" where he was presented an award for his life saving actions during a structure fire on April 5<sup>th</sup> of this year in the village. It was a true honor to witness him represent the village as he received this award. Spectrum News interviewed Officer Howell regarding the incident and the interview was aired on both Spectrum as well as CNY Central (WSTM, channel 3).

The Hospice of Central New York's annual tree lighting was held on December 6, 2019. Several people attended the event and there were no issues during it.

School Resource Officer Steven Morgan, who as indicated in the November report, retired from the New York State Police on December 11, 2019, started his duties at the jr high school on December 16<sup>th</sup>. His transition into the school has been excellent.

On December 11, 2019, the village board approved employment status of Officer Kevin Forney from part-time to full-time. He started working full time on December 16, 2019 and his salary will be \$18.88 an hour (\$39,270.40 annually). Officer Forney has been an asset to the police department and I believe he will continue to be.

As indicated in the November report, I provided a letter to the Homer News regarding the criminal justice reform legislation beginning January 1, 2020. I also had a radio interview with WXHC regarding the reform as well. My main purpose was so people were aware of the legislative changes that ended cash bail in the event they are unfortunate to be a victim of a crime.

In conclusion, on December 11, 2019, I received an award from the Office of Children and Family Services for Excellence in Law Enforcement Protection of Vulnerable Adults. Cortland County Department of Adult Services nominated me for this award for advocating for the elderly regarding incidents in the village as well as bringing elder abuse training to the Cortland area. It was truly an honor to receive this award.

In conclusion,

MUR

Respectfully submitted,

Robert H. Pitman Chief of Police

Village of Homer Police Department



### **Homer Police Department**

Law Total Incident Report, by Agency, Nature

Agency: HOMER VILLAGE POLICE DEPT

Nature of Incident	<b>Total Incidents</b>
911 HANG UP	1
ADMINISTRATIVE	6
POLICE ALARM	4
ANIMAL PROBLEM	6
ASSIST	55
BURGLARY	3
CIVIL ONLY	1
SPECIAL DETAIL	36
DISORDERLY CONDUCT	2
DISTURBANCE	5
DOMESTIC	2
DSS ASSIST/HOME VISIT	1
EMOTIONALLY DISTURBED PERSON	2
FOUND PROPERTY	5
FRAUD	1
HARASSMENT	1
INFORMATION	1
INVESTIGATION	4
JUVENILE PROBLEM	4
LARCENY	2
LOST PROPERTY	2 2
MISSING PERSON	2
NOISE COMPLAINT	1
OPEN DOOR	1
PARKING COMPLAINT	13
PROPERTY DAMAGE MVA	13
PERSONAL INJURY MVA	2
PROPERTY CHECK	207
REPOSSESSION	1
SHOTS FIRED	1
STOLEN VEHICLE	1
SUSPICIOUS	5
TRAFFIC PROBLEM	3
TRANSPORT	1
TRAFFIC STOP	63
VEHICLE COMPLAINT	6
WELFARE CHECK	4
Total Incidents for This Agency	468

Total reported: 468

### Report Includes:

All dates between `00:00:00 11/25/19` and `00:00:00 12/24/19`, All agencies matching `HPD`, All natures, All locations, All responsible officers, All dispositions, All clearance codes, All observed offenses, All reported offenses, All offense codes, All circumstance codes

rplwtir.x3 12/27/19

### School Resource Officer's Report: 11/25/19 - 12/24/19

The School Resource Officer (SRO) program is a valuable partnership between The Village of Homer Police Department and Homer Central School District. The SRO's are based out of the school district buildings and maintains an office within the high school. This facilitates and allows the SRO's to be immediately accessible to students, faculty, administration and parents. The SRO's primary goals are to assist in maintaining the highest level of safety within our schools through prevention, and intervention as well as to reduce juvenile crime and incidents through education and counseling.

The SRO's investigate incidents which occur on the properties of schools within the Village of Homer (Elementary, Intermediate, Jr. High and High School). The SRO's facilitate assistance for all through the use of police department, school and community resources. The SRO's also conduct investigations, assist in certain student/parent meetings, phone consults, partner agency meetings, referrals, informal counseling, providing assistance to school officials and assistance to other police officers and agencies in regards to students or school issues and property.

The following data provides information and tracking of notable incidents handled for the time period of this report as well as a school year to date compilation.

Activity/Investigation	December 2019 Report	2019/2020 School YTD
Training	0	21
Disorderly person (non-student)	0	0
Disorderly person (student)	7	24
Traffic or parking	55	264
Assist Staff/Faculty	69	280
Assist Student	41	145
Found property	1	7
Aggravated Harassment	2	13
Assembly/Class Presentations	3	63
Computer Crime	0	0
Motor Vehicle Accident	2	5
Police assistance	4	19
Parent/Guardian /Admin. meeting	7	39
Students Missing	4	34
Criminal Mischief	0	1
Lost Property/Larceny	4	10
Suspicious Activity/Person	1	5
Security Detail (e.g. Board Meeting,	18	78
Sporting Event)		
Open/Unsecured doors found	5	15
911 Hang-up	0	1
Weapon	0	0
Fire alarm/Alarm/Hazard/Drills	3	35
Medical/Mental Health/Check Welfare	2	11
Sex Crime	0	2
Drugs/Alcohol/Tobacco	2	17
Arrests	0	4
Follow Up Investigation	0	43

25	72
0	0
2	16
1	2
320	1226
	25 0 2 1

Village Office 31 N. Main Street Homer, NY 13077 Phone: 607-749-3322

www.HomerNY.org

ESTABLISHED 1791

Village Police: 607-749-2022 Newton Water Works: 607-749-2511 Glenwood Cemetery: 607-749-3517 Streets and Parks: 607-749-3813 Recreation: 607-749-2161 Codes: 607-745-3177

Homer Fire Department: 607-749-3121

### **December 2019 Recreation Monthly Report**

Submitted by Recreation Director Zack Pollak

### **Recreation Updates:**

- John Tobin Basketball League Cortland Youth Bureau
  - Kicked off this past weekend at 3 locations hosting 49 teams YMCA, YWCA, and the SUNY
     Cortland Lusk Fieldhouse. Excellent event bringing all the surrounding communities together.
  - o I am helping chaperone the 4<sup>th</sup> grade boys' practices.
  - New policy for all rec sports No parents allowed in the gym during practices. I sent a letter to all parents participating in basketball (letter attached) asking parents to stay outside of the gym during practice. We have been experiencing disruptive parents during practices and this policy has been a long time coming. We use this in football as well with great results.

### • K-2 Skills & Drills Basketball:

 Working to extend the program into March. Regular season ends next week. Will lengthen the season to start, in the future.

### Ski Club

O Starts 1/8, fingers crossed for good ski weather. Late registrations allowed until 1/8.

### Soccer

- We are running another soccer clinic in Jan/Feb for grade 6 8. Focus on skills training including passing, controlling, 1-touch and 2-touch drills, including 1-touch and 2-touch games. Great opportunity to keep soccer fresh in the kid's heads and break up the long break between the season.
- o Coaches and other volunteers:

Chris Guay: Former collegiate coach, current CC Select coach, and Homer Rec coach

Ben Bowers: Homer Varsity Girls Coach, along with girls' varsity and alumni players

Rich Wagner: CC Select coach & CCYSA Vice President

**Where:** Junior High & Intermediate Gyms **When:** 1/11, 1/18. 2/1 --- 9:30 – 11am

• Winter Project: My goal is to create coach and parent "manuals" or "guides" for all our sports.

> Village Office 31 N. Main Street Homer, NY 13077

Phone: 607-749-3322 www.HomerNY.org



Village Police: 607-749-2022 Newton Water Works: 607-749-2511

Glenwood Cemetery: 607-749-3517
Streets and Parks: 607-749-3813
Recreation: 607-749-0663
Codes: 607-745-0004
Homer Fire Department: 607-749-

3121

### **December 2019 Water and Sewer Report**

Submitted by Lawrence Barber on 12/26/19

### **Water Update:**

- Putting new water meters in and it that has taken up most of the time for the month.
- Looking for Water Leaks.
- Repaired the small generator that is in the Blue Van.
- Replaced all outside light bulbs at the Police Station.
- Received a new computer. It is in, setup and ready to go.
- Reading water meters for the next billing in January.

### **Sewer Updates:**

- Cleaned all pump stations and floats.
- On Dec 2, we lost power in the Village and had to run our generators to keep the pumps working.
- Pulled sewer pump on Fulton St. and cleaned them out it was more rags in it.