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# SPRING 2005 Village of Manchester

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**Spring Clean up** will be on Monday May 9<sup>th</sup> and Tuesday May 10<sup>th</sup>. **We are asking you to make three separate piles. This is very important.** You risk not having your things picked up and being billed by a private contractor if not taken care of.

▶ **White goods and scrap metal.** Only stoves, water heaters or other metal objects that contain no freon. **We will not pick up propane tanks, refrigerators, freezers, air conditioners, dehumidifiers, or freon containing items.\***

▶ **Garden & yard waste.** All garden and yard waste must be bagged and the bags contain only garden and yard waste (grass clippings, small twigs, leaves etc.). Please remember that these bags must be lifted up and over the side of the truck. If you cannot lift them up 5 feet, neither can our village crew. Please make the bags lighter and use biodegradable bags if possible. No loose leaves or debris should be in the street gutters to block the flow of water to the storm drains.

▶ **Large household waste.** This includes furniture, carpets, bedsprings, mattresses, TV's, etc.

**We cannot and will not pick up: tires, construction and demolition materials, recyclables or any hazardous waste such as paint, gas cans or gas grill propane tanks. No refrigerators, freezers, air conditioners, dehumidifiers or other refrigerants.\***

The Town of Manchester (Corner of Route 96 & County Road 7) will take old tires for a charge of \$2.00 per tire. The hours to bring them are Monday & Wednesday 4-7pm and Saturday 9am-4pm. Tire coupons can be purchased at the Town office. \*Refrigerants will be accepted until the end of July. Telephone: 289-3010

**The schedule for Spring pick up is as follows:**

**MONDAY, MAY 9<sup>TH</sup>:** Main Street, Merrick Avenue, Lehigh Avenue, Gilligan Drive, Bennett Avenue, Smith Place, Smith Terrace, Pratt Road, Howard Street, Wilson Street, Moses Road, Vanderwall Drive, Center Street, Clifton Street (West of Outlet), State Street.

**TUESDAY, MAY 10<sup>TH</sup>:** North Avenue, South Avenue, Clifton Street (East of Outlet), Newton Street, and Edgemere Drive.

This spring pick up is a service for **Village residents only**. Non-village residents using this service will be subject to prosecution.

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## **DROP BOXES**

We now have drop boxes available at the front and rear entrances of the village hall. For your convenience you can put your water & sewer payments or any other correspondence into the locked strongbox. Just push the silver opening at the top and it will fall into the locked lower portion. The boxes are checked daily.

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## **SMALL CITIES GRANT**

Mayor Miles received a letter from Governor George E. Pataki informing him that the Village's 2004 application for a New York State Small Cities Community Development Technical Assistance grant in the amount of \$24,000.00 has been approved. A special

thanks to Chris Nill for his aid in the application process that enabled us to receive this grant. The grant will be used in developing strategic plans for redevelopment and revitalization in the community.

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## **2-1-1 GET CONNECTED GET ANSWERS**

Dialing 2 – 1 – 1 will connect you with non-emergency help, information, or human service referral. 2-1-1 connects callers with trained local information and referral service providers serving the Finger Lakes region.

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**REMINDERS:** A **Building Permit** is required for swimming pools, hot tubs, decks, sheds, fences, and roofs (just to name a few). Please contact our Code Enforcement Officer, Steve DeHond, before starting your Spring and Summer projects and he'll be able to assist you. His number is 289-3010 Ext. 107.

 **BURNING YOUR GARBAGE IS ILLEGAL**  
We have received complaints of residents burning their garbage in outdoor burning barrels. Much of it is localized to the western end of State Street, though it has been reported at various other locations as well. Your neighbors cannot open their windows or sit outdoors due to the smoke and offensive odor. Burning your garbage is in violation of the law. Continued burning will force us to begin legal action. Please discontinue outdoor burning for the protection and consideration of our neighbors and for our environment. Check the yellow pages in the phone book for rubbish removal if you don't already have garbage pick-up.

**If you are planning to replace your water line** please contact the Dept. of Public Works so that we can coincide the work at our end with the work that you are having done.

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## **The Great Flag Rally – June 29, 2005**

On Wednesday, June 29<sup>th</sup> at 7:00pm, the Great Flag Rally will be held at the "Bandstand" park. The Great Flag Rally was established in 1997 by the Ontario County Historical Society as a community event. Its purpose is to promote a spirit of patriotism and community pride. This year, the Village of Manchester will host this event. It traditionally has featured speakers from the host community on historical interests, music, displays, and food or goods for sale. The next meeting will be Thursday, May 5<sup>th</sup>, at 7:00pm in the village boardroom to help plan this community day.

Speaking of history...there will be a presentation given by Sheldon King on the Lehigh Valley Railroad. This program will be held on June 4<sup>th</sup> from 1:00pm to 3:00pm at the Lehigh Valley Railroad Historical Society museum at 8 High Street, Shortsville, NY

