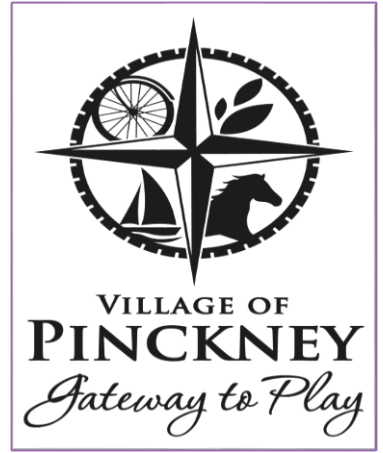

Winter 2019 Newsletter

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From the desk of Village President, Linda Lavey:

"Prediction is very difficult, especially if it's about the future."

--Nils Bohr, Nobel laureate in Physics

Welcome to 2019. It promises to be an interesting year in the Village.

Now you were predicting that I was going to remind everyone that cold and bad weather will be coming, be mindful of the hazards these will bring. Look out for plows, may plows look out for you. Keep a thoughtful eye on your neighbors, some have more trouble with snow than you do. We're all in this together and we've survived through winter before. We will again.

Thanks for all who turned out for Light Up the Park and Wreaths Across America. The growing participation in these events, and the continued interest from community members, gives me a little hope. As I mentioned last newsletter, we have a place for you, if there's something with which you want to help.

Road work and the sewer upgrade will cause some frustrations and delays. We will all have to practice a little patience. It took a very long time to get to where these projects could become reality. The actual work should (should!) seem brief in comparison. Then we will be able to enjoy the improvements into the future.

Although the Headlee Override we requested in November failed (by a narrow margin -- thanks to those supporters willing to invest in our collective future), the staff and Council will do their best to deliver the services to which we are accustomed. I'm backing off predicting what may be reduced or cut.

I will take this one last opportunity to thank outgoing clerk Amy Salowitz for her ten years of service to the Village. She has left it in better shape than she found it. While she will still work with us remotely for a while for continuity and training, she will not be on site. I predict she will embrace her new life in South Carolina with the same gumption she has used to keep us in line, and also that we will find another talented, determined person to pick up where she has left off.

"I never think of the future, it comes soon enough."

-- Albert Einstein



The Village has an ordinance about snow, ice and debris that states that Residential Property Occupants have 24 hours for weather events resulting in less than 4" of accumulation or 48 hours in the event of over 4" of accumulation, to remove snow, ice and debris. Also, prudent effort to control ice by complete removal or by applying sufficient deicing material. For exact specifications please visit the Village website and search Ordinances for the following:

- **§ 92.62 REMOVAL OF SNOW, ICE, DEBRIS OR DIRT.**
- **§ 92.63 BUSINESS DISTRICT SNOW, ICE, DEBRIS, DIRT AND ENCROACHMENT REMOVAL.**

Security Checks

Pinckney Police Department offers Security Checks for **Village Residents** who are going out of town for an extended period.

Officers will conduct a walk around of the outside of the home to check for any damage or illegal entry. Forms can be filled out at the Police Department, Monday through Thursday from 8am-4pm.

You will be asked to provide a local emergency contact and your vacation address.

January is **RADON ACTION MONTH**

***Test your home
for free!***

Radon is the second leading cause of lung cancer death in the US. Radon gas occurs naturally in the soil and enters homes through openings in the foundation floor or walls. The only way to know if you have a radon problem is to test for it.

A limited number of kits are available at Village Hall for pick-up during regular business hours.

For more information on Radon in Livingston County, contact Livingston County Health Department at 517.552.6810

News from Grainger Container

CHRISTMAS TREE DISPOSAL



The holiday season will be here and gone before we know it and you'll be wondering what to do with that live tree, which is furiously shedding needles on your carpet or hanging out in your garage. Grainger can help. We do Christmas tree collection in most communities, and trees can also be brought to one of our three Disposal Centers during normal business hours. Live-cut trees free of tinsel, wire and decorations are accepted.

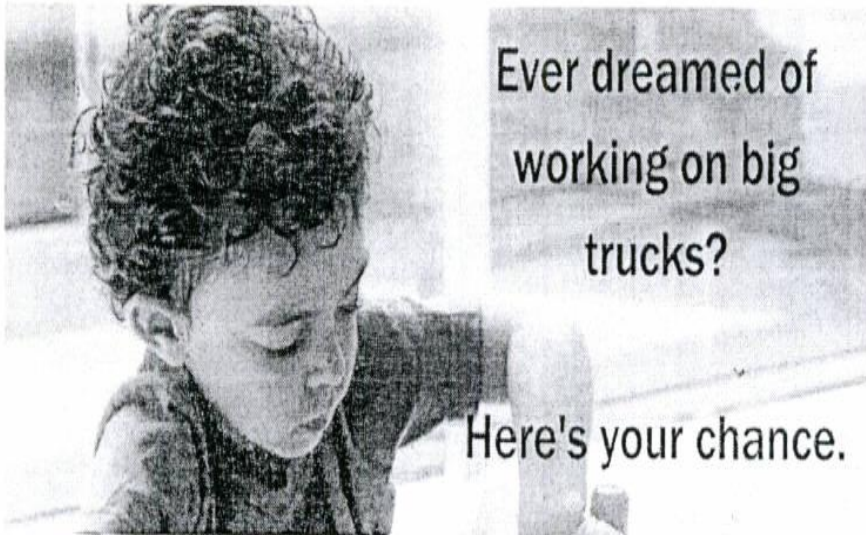
For street side collection, place your tree next to your cart or bags on your normal service day the week of December 31. For more information, watch our Facebook page for updates, visit our website at www.grangernet.com, call 1-888-947-2643 or email us at info@grangernet.com.



WINTER COLLECTION

Please ensure your trash can be collected during winter weather by remembering the following:

- Your cart and/or bags should not be obstructed or buried by snow.
- Steep grades and icy conditions may prevent us from providing service.
- Trash can freeze in the bottom of your cart and prevent us from emptying it completely.



Ever dreamed of
working on big
trucks?

Here's your chance.

We're hiring diesel mechanics for our Lansing and Grand Rapids locations. Visit www.grangernet.com/careers.

Find out if there are any delays to service by visiting our website at grangernet.com or liking us on Facebook. You can also sign up on our website (at the bottom of the homepage) to receive emails about holiday delays and weather-related delays.



We're on Facebook!

Go to www.facebook.com/collectingtomorrowsenergy.

2019 Village of Pinckney
Refuse/Recycling & DPW Service Schedule

Date:	Village DPW Service:	Granger Waste Services:	Date:	Village DPW Service:	Granger Waste Services:
1/3/2019 (Thurs)		Trash	17-Jul-19		Trash & Yard Waste
8-Jan-18	* Christmas Tree and Brush*		23-Jul-19	* Brush P/U	
9-Jan-19		Trash & Recycling	24-Jul-19		Trash & Recycling
16-Jan-19		Trash	31-Jul-19		Trash & Yard Waste
23-Jan-19		Trash & Recycling	7-Aug-19		Trash & Recycling
30-Jan-19		Trash	13-Aug-19	* Brush P/U	
6-Feb-19		Trash & Recycling	14-Aug-19		Trash & Yard Waste
13-Feb-19		Trash	21-Aug-19		Trash & Recycling
20-Feb-19		Trash & Recycling	27-Aug-19	* Brush P/U	
27-Feb-19		Trash	28-Aug-19		Trash & Yard Waste
6-Mar-19		Trash & Recycling	9/5/2019(Thurs)		Trash & Recycling
13-Mar-19		Trash	10-Sep-19	* Brush P/U	
20-Mar-19		Trash & Recycling	11-Sep-19		Trash & Yard Waste
27-Mar-19		Trash	18-Sep-19		Trash & Recycling
3-Apr-19		Trash & Recycling	24-Sep-19	* Last Brush P/U of 2019*	
9-Apr-19	* 1st Brush P/U*		25-Sep-19		Trash & Yard Waste
10-Apr-19		Trash & Yard Waste	2-Oct-19		Trash & Recycling
17-Apr-19		Trash & Recycling	8-Oct-19	* 1st Leaf P/U of 2019*	
23-Apr-19	* Brush P/U		9-Oct-19		Trash & Yard Waste
24-Apr-19		Trash & Yard Waste	15-Oct-19	* Leaf P/U	
1-May-19		Trash & Recycling	16-Oct-19		Trash & Recycling
7-May-19	* Spring Clean Up/ Leaf Clean Up*		22-Oct-19	* Leaf P/U	
8-May-19		Trash & Yard Waste	23-Oct-19		Trash & Yard Waste
14-May-19	* Brush P/U		29-Oct-19	* Leaf P/U	
15-May-19		Trash & Recycling	30-Oct-19		Trash & Recycling
22-May-19		Trash & Yard Waste	5-Nov-19	* Leaf P/U	
28-May-19	* Brush P/U		6-Nov-19		Trash & Yard Waste
5/30/2019 (Thurs)		Trash & Recycling	12-Nov-19	* Leaf P/U	
5-Jun-19		Trash & Yard Waste	13-Nov-19		Trash & Recycling
11-Jun-19	* Brush P/U		19-Nov-19	* Leaf P/U	
12-Jun-19		Trash & Recycling	20-Nov-19		Trash & Yard Waste
19-Jun-19		Trash & Yard Waste	26-Nov-19	* Last Leaf P/U of 2019*	
25-Jun-19	* Brush P/U		27-Nov-19		Trash & Recycling
26-Jun-19		Trash & Recycling	4-Dec-19		Trash
3-Jul-19		Trash & Yard Waste	11-Dec-19		Trash & Recycling
9-Jul-19	* Brush P/U		18-Dec-19		Trash
10-Jul-19		Trash & Recycling	12/26/2019 (Thurs)		Trash & Recycling

Dates in **bold** are alternative pick up dates

*Weather permitting

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