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TOWN OF BOYCE

FEBRUARY 2023 NEWSLETTER

Friday, Feb 17

Wed, Mar 1

Monday, Feb 20

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REGULAR OFFICE HOURS

 $\begin{array}{ll} \mbox{Mondays} & 8:00 \mbox{ am} - 1:00 \mbox{ pm} \\ \mbox{Tuesdays} & 3:00 \mbox{ pm} - 8:00 \mbox{ pm} \\ \mbox{Wednesdays} & 3:00 \mbox{ pm} - 8:00 \mbox{ pm} \\ \mbox{Fridays} & 8:00 \mbox{ am} - 1:00 \mbox{ pm} \end{array}$

The office will be closed

BOYCE ELEMENTARY SCHOOL

Picture Day

Happy Valentines Day ᆇ

No School—elementary

No School—President's Day

Monday, Feb. 20 — President's Day



BOYCE TOWN COUNCIL MINUTES ONLINE NOW

https://fliphtml5.com/homepage/lifzz

These are scans from the Town Council minutes all the way back to November 1910.

BINGO @ BVFC

Bingo Hotline: 540-837-2317

BVFC has Bingo twice a week

Sundays: Doors open II:30am Ist number drawn I:30pm Thursdays: Doors open 4:30pm Ist number drawn at 7:00pm



FOURTH OF JULY PICNIC

For those who attended the first 4th of July picnic it was a great deal of fun.

We missed doing it this year.

We need help to plan and participate in doing this fun event for the Town of Boyce.

If you would like to be part of the team for this event, please contact Dave at the Town office.



Board of Zoning Appeals

The Town Council is looking for someone to fill a vacancy on this Board. This is an "as needed" board that resolves zoning conflicts.

If you are interested, please contact Dave at the Town Office.

BOYCE MEETINGS

Town Council February 7 7pm
TC Work Session February 28 6pm
Planning Commission January 30 7pm

EMERGENCY EMAIL LIST

If you currently do not receive notices via email, please send an email to boyceva@verizon.net to get your email address on our distribution list. Your information will not be used for spam or sold to anyone.

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§90.15 REMOVAL OF SNOW AND ICE FROM SIDEWALKS

The owner or occupant or any person having the care of any building or lot of land abutting on any paved sidewalk within the corporate limits of the town shall, within the first eight (8) hours of daylight following the time any snow, ice or sleet has ceased to fall, cause the same to be removed from such sidewalk; provided, that sleet or ice, when it cannot be removed without injury to the pavement of the sidewalk, shall be covered within the same period of time with sawdust, ashes or some other environmentally friendly material which will render the sidewalk safe for pedestrian travel.

Where conditions set forth in subsection (A) above are not complied with, and the street on which the property is located has been plowed by the town or its agents, the Mayor or his designee shall immediately notify the owner or occupant, and such notification shall be served by the Enforcement Official or Town Clerk.

If the conditions set forth in subsections (A) and (B) above are not complied with within twenty-four (24) hours from the time of the notification, the Mayor or Enforcement Official may cause the owner or occupant to be charged with a violation of this section.

If after twenty-four (24) hours from the time of notice provided in subsection (B) the conditions set forth in subsection (A) are not complied with and the owner or occupant has been charged with a violation pursuant to subsection (C) above, the town may cause the conditions to be complied with. The cost thereof shall be charged to and collected from the owner of the property affected in any container provided by law for the collection of state and local tax-

es. Penalty, see § 10.99 for a class 4 misdemeanor §90.16 SNOW OR ICE NOT TO BE DEPOSITED ON STREETS OR SIDEWALKS

It shall be unlawful for the owner, occupant or any person having the care of any building or lot of land abutting on any street within the town, or any other person acting as an agent of the owner or occupant of any such building or lot, to shovel, plow or deposit any snow, ice or sleet on any paved sidewalk or in the traffic lanes or travel way of any street, as such traffic lanes or travel ways have been cleared of snow, ice or sleet by agents of the town, within the corporate limits of the town. Penalty for violation is \$20.00.

BOYCE HISTORICAL TIDBITSActions by the first Town Council

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12/4/1916	The Town Council unqualifiedly favors the improvements, by federal and state funds, the highway leading from Alexandria, VA through Boyce.
2/6/1917	Length of pavement (sidewalk?) was 457 feet. Keeler share \$48.22, Louder's share \$20.86, Garver's share \$49.38.
2/19/1917	Mr Tumblin was dissatisfied with the amount of his salary and would resign unless it was increased. Considerable discussion ensued and the Mayor was directed to write up the Rules and Regulations for the police.
3/6/1917	The Mayor was instructed to contract with F Tumblin Jr as Town policeman for \$25.00 and 10 days notice was needed if his intention was to discontinue said contract.
4/16/1917	Chairman of the Committee on Streets instructed to ask for bids for building a concrete sidewalk from N&W Rwy to AB Wyndham.

DELINQUENT TAXES

We have many residents who have not paid Personal Property taxes.

Year	No.	Total Amount
2020	9	\$ 656.59
2021	28	\$ 3,656.18
2022	139	\$16,596.30
	TOTAL	\$21,420.36

We also have several residents who have not paid Real Estate taxes.

Year	No.	Total Amount
2020	1	\$ 76.41
2021	6	\$ 331.86
2022	22	\$ 1,192.43
	TOTAL	\$ 1,640.70

GRAND TOTAL OUTSTANDING: \$23,061.06

Starting February 1, 2023, we will put liens on unpaid real estate and DMV holds on unpaid personal property tax bills.