



Village News

October 2020

PLANNED POWER OUTAGE - October 9th 12:01-5:00 AM

In order to complete a critical pole replacement project along Route 100C, the Village has a scheduled a planned power outage for the overnight/early morning hours on Friday, October 9th. Power in the eastern half of the Village will go out at 12:01 AM and will be turned back on by 5:00 AM. The areas affected by the power outage include:

- East Johnson/100C and adjacent streets
- Route 15 from the Village Green east to Nadeau's and adjacent streets
- Katy Win Mobile Home Park
- All of Clay Hill and portions of Gould Hill and Plot Road
- School Street

If there is inclement weather on October 9th, the rain date will be the following Friday, October 16th during the same hours. If you have any questions about whether your power will be affected by the planned outage, please call 635-2611 or email vojmanager@townofjohnson.com for more information.

Notice of Sewer Main and Catch Basin Cleaning

As part of our ongoing system maintenance, the Village will be conducting sewer main and stormwater catch basin cleaning during the week of October 12th. The sewer main cleaning could result slight gurgling noises and/or altered water levels in toilets.

Notice of Hydrant Flushing

In order to ensure proper functioning when needed, the Village flushes its fire hydrants twice per year. The autumn hydrant flushing will occur on October 19th, 20th, and 21st.

Grant Funds Available to Assist with Past Due Utility Payments Apply Today!

If you have suffered economic hardship due to COVID-19 and are struggling to pay for your utilities, such as your electric bill, help is available! The Vermont COVID-19 Arrearage Assistance Program (VCAAP) is offering funds to utility customers to pay past-due balances. Funds are limited, so it is important to apply as soon as possible.

To learn more about the program and apply online, please visit <https://publicservice.vermont.gov/>

For assistance applying, please call your local Community Action Agency.

Capstone Community Action (Central Vermont): (802) 851-4000 or 1-800-639-8710

Additional information can be found on the reverse side of this newsletter ----->

Has COVID-19 caused you to fall behind on your utility bill?
The Vermont COVID-19 Arrearage Assistance Program (VCAAP) can help.

VCAAP provides eligible Vermont utility customers with small grants for unpaid and past due balances that create risk for disconnection. To qualify:

- The past due balance must be more than 60 days old
- The past due balance must apply to service provided on or after March 1, 2020
- Customer must certify and attest to a COVID-19 related economic hardship

How to Apply For VCAAP:

Use the online application portal at <https://publicservice.vermont.gov/>

If you cannot apply online, call or visit your local Community Action Agency.

BROC- Community Action in Southwestern Vermont: (802) 775-0878 or 1-800-717-2762

Capstone Community Action (Central Vermont): (802) 479-1053 or 1-800-639-1053

Champlain Valley Office of Economic Opportunity: (802) 862-2771 or 1-800-287-7971

Northeast Kingdom Community Action: (802) 334-7316

Southeastern Vermont Community Action: (802) 722-4575 or 1-800-464-9951



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