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FROM THE SUPERVISOR'S DESK



As we approach the end of 2026, it is hard to believe that my first year as Town Supervisor is already drawing to a close. It has been a busy and productive year, and I am proud of the progress we have made together while continuing to focus on what matters most – maintaining the quality of life that makes Stony Point such a special place to call home.

One of our most important initiatives this year has been beginning the process of updating **Stony Point's Comprehensive Plan**. This plan will help guide decisions about development, infrastructure, recreation, transportation and the overall future of our community. Most importantly, we want residents to be part of that conversation. On Thursday, October 29, from 6:30–8:30 p.m. at the Patriot Hills Community Center, we will hold a community visioning workshop. I encourage you to attend, share your ideas and help us plan for Stony Point's future.

We have also made significant progress on a **Rental Registry Law** designed to address unsafe and illegal rental conditions while protecting our neighborhoods. This has been an important initiative for our Town, and I am grateful for the support of our Town Board and our Building Department.

At the same time, we have continued moving important infrastructure projects forward. Planning for a new **Highway Garage** is progressing, improvements to our sewer infrastructure remain a priority, and we continue to work with our state, county and local partners on roads, sidewalks and other projects throughout Town.

As we look toward 2027, there is much more to accomplish. We will continue the Comprehensive Plan process, move our Highway Garage project forward, strengthen our efforts to protect our neighborhoods and quality of life, and continue finding ways to bring our community together.

None of this happens without the hard work of our Town employees and department heads, the service of our volunteers, the cooperation of the Town Board and, most importantly, the involvement of our residents. Thank you to everyone who has called, emailed, attended a meeting, volunteered, offered an idea or simply taken the time to become involved.

It has been a privilege to serve as your Town Supervisor this year, and I look forward to continuing our work together in 2027. ■

Kind regards,
Amy Stamm, *Town Supervisor*

Senior Citizen Bus:
- Mondays, Wednesdays, Fridays
- 9am–1pm
- Call to request a pickup (845) 947-5261
- 24-hour notice requested!

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Spotlight on Councilman Paul Joachim

Councilman **Paul Joachim** has dedicated his career to serving our community, balancing public safety leadership with municipal governance. Serving as Councilman since 2020, he has focused his tenure on fighting overdevelopment, protecting natural resources, and preserving the town's hometown culture. Professionally, he serves as Chief of the 'Rockland County Sheriffs Corrections Division,' bringing a strong background in public safety and organizational leadership to his roles. His deep commitment to public service is rooted in his long-standing residency and active involvement in local civic organizations.

Beyond his professional and elected roles, Paul is deeply invested in youth programs and emergency services across the community. He is a life member and past president of the S.W. Johnson Fire Company, as well as past president of the Superior Officers Council of Rockland and a member of the Corrections Officers Benevolent Association. His dedication to local youth is evident through his service on the Board of Directors for N.R. Youth Football and Cheer and his former position on the Stony Point Little League Board of Directors.

In his work on the Town Board, Paul has leveraged his experience to secure the future of the Patriot Hills Golf Course, champion waterfront access, and advocate for local employment in town operations and smart development that reduces property taxes. Paul, his wife Bernadette, and their two children are proud to call Stony Point home. ■



Stony Point Highlights



Happy 100th Birthday to Francois Guillaume Etienne!
Do you know anyone having a 100th birthday like Francois? Contact the Supervisor's Office at Town Hall so we can honor them as they celebrate this tremendous milestone.



Stony Point held a moving community ceremony on September 11, 2026, to commemorate the 25th anniversary of the 9/11 terrorist attacks.







Supervisor Stamm and her dog Toby invited 2- and 4-legged residents for an "End of Summer Dog Swim" on Sept. 10 at the Town Pool. A great time was had by all!

Highway & Parks Dept.

FROM THE DESK OF
Karl Javenes, Superintendent of Highways

Latest Developments from the Highway and Parks Department

As fall gets underway, the Stony Point Highway Department is wrapping up another busy paving season while continuing drainage improvements throughout town. With colder weather just around the corner, our crews are also preparing for fall leaf cleanup and the winter months ahead.

Fall Leaf Cleanup

Biodegradable leaf bags are available for residents to pick up at the Highway Department Garage, 15 Rose Street, through November. Bags are available Monday through Friday from 7:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m. and Saturday from 7:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m.

Please remember that leaf bags are for leaves and small twigs only and should not contain dirt, rocks, or mulch. Bags should not exceed 50 pounds.

Residents may drop off filled leaf bags at the Highway Garage during normal business hours, with no permit required. The Highway Department can also pick up bagged leaves. Please call or email the department in advance to make arrangements.

Bulk Item Collection

The Highway Department provides pickup of bulk household items, including appliances, bicycles, and other metal items. Residents should call or email the department to arrange for pickup.

Winter Parking Reminder

As winter approaches, residents are reminded that overnight parking is prohibited on Town roads from November 1 through March 31. During snow events, vehicles should not be parked on Town roads at any time. Keeping roadways clear allows our Highway crews to safely and efficiently plow, salt, and clear snow and ice.

Improvements Around Town

At Charles Eccher Park, the aging "blue" pavilion has been replaced with a new pavilion for residents to enjoy. We have also installed a new LED sign at the corner of Willow Grove Road and Patriot Hills Lane to help improve communication and keep residents informed about Town news and events.

Work continues on the Headworks Project, with completion anticipated in February 2027. The Beach Road Pump Station project is now complete. Together, these improvements will help provide a more productive and energy-efficient facility for years to come.

Enjoy the fall season, and thank you for helping us keep Stony Point safe, clean, and beautiful! ■

Tel: 845-786-2300
E-mail: highway@townofstonypoint.org
Hours:
Monday–Friday 7:00a.m.–3:00 p.m.
Saturday 7:00a.m.–2:00 p.m.
(except holidays)





Pictured clockwise from L–R:

New LED Town Sign at Patriot Hills.

Construction of a new Headworks building at the Sewer Department is underway. A headworks building is the first stage of a wastewater treatment plant where large debris and heavy grit are removed to protect downstream equipment.

Paving on Rosetown Road.

New Pavilion at Charles Eccher Lowland Hill Park.





FROM THE DESK OF
Chief Greg Becker



The Town Board with new Stony Point Police Officers as well as Chief Becker and Lieutenant Schoales

The Stony Point Police Department is proud to welcome two new police officers to our department and community.

Peter Costabile was hired on August 12th. A lifelong Stony Point resident, Officer Costabile brings valuable prior law enforcement experience from the New York Police Department, and we are pleased to have his experience and dedication become part of our team.

Owen Smith, also a lifelong Stony Point resident, began attending the Rockland County Police Academy on August 24, where he is working toward completing his training and beginning his career in law enforcement.

Please join us in wishing them both great success and a long career serving our community. We look forward to their contributions to the safety and well-being of our town.

On August 11, the Stony Point Police Department was proud to participate in the **Day in the Country** event held at **Krucker's**. The annual event was hosted by the **Rockland County Sheriff's Office** for the children and families of the **Ronald McDonald House**.

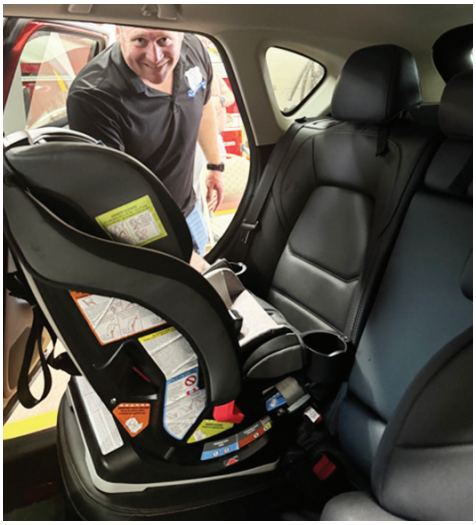
The day provided an opportunity to bring joy, laughter, and meaningful moments to children and families who are facing some of the most difficult challenges of their lives.

Our department is proud to have been part of this meaningful event and grateful for the opportunity to stand alongside our fellow law enforcement professionals in bringing a little extra joy and support to these deserving families.

On September 20, the Stony Point Police Department partnered with the **Wayne Hose Fire Department** during **National Child Passenger Safety Week** to host a free child safety seat inspection event for members of the community.

Events like this provide an important opportunity for our first responders to work directly with families and share information that can help keep our youngest passengers safe in the event of a motor vehicle crash.

Thank you to **Sergeant Gaynor** and **Police Officers Wellington and Mari** for inspecting child safety seats and helping parents and caregivers ensure they were properly installed and being used correctly. ■



Police Officer Matt Wellington inspects car seat installation during National Child Passenger Safety Week event.

Bottom L–R: *On August 11, SPPD participated in the annual Day in the Country event hosted by the Rockland County Sheriff's Office at Krucker's for the children and families of the Ronald McDonald House.*

Our PAL Volunteers at the Annual Fall Festival on 10/3. Another great success.





PARKS & REC

FROM THE DESK OF
Karenanne Nigro, Recreation Director

Fall/Winter Updates

We are in the swing of things for our Fall season, but as we turn our attention to the holidays, we want to share a few important updates and highlights from our Parks and Recreation Department.

Town Parks Closure

Town parks will be closed for the season by the end of October. Please note that once closed, there will be no restroom facilities available and pavilions will be unavailable for use.

Patriot Hills Community Center Activities

Stay active and connected this season with our regular weekly classes:

- **Tai Chi:** Wednesdays | 9:00 a.m. – 10:00 a.m.
- **Yoga Flow:** Wednesdays | 6:00 p.m. – 7:00 p.m.
- **Chair Yoga:** Fridays | 10:00 a.m. – 11:00 a.m

Monthly CPR classes: Please contact the Recreation Department for specific dates and times for our upcoming monthly CPR classes.

The **Pickleball Courts** remain open year-round, weather permitting. Lights are on until 11 p.m. every night. For more information, contact us.

Save the Date – Light Up Stony Point Holiday Parade

Mark your calendars for one of the most festive nights of the year! The 5th Annual Light Up Stony Point Parade will take place on Friday, December 4. To register your vehicle for the parade, scan the QR code to the right or visit www.stonypointpal.org/our-events-schedule. ■

SCAN TO REGISTER
YOUR VEHICLE FOR
THE PARADE





Thank you to all who enjoyed our 2026 Summer Concert Series!

2026 Upcoming Events

- **October 23** Halloween Trunk or Treat
- **December 4** Light Up Stony Point Holiday Parade
- **December 6** 36th Annual Senior Citizens Holiday Breakfast

Visit stonypointpal.org for more info or go to our Facebook or Instagram pages (@stonypointPAL).

For more information, contact us:
Tel: 845-947-5261
Hours: Monday–Friday, 9 a.m.–4 p.m.
www.stonypointny.gov/recreation-department

The Town of Stony Point Needs Your Input

How do you see your Town in 10 years? What do you love about Stony Point? What would you improve? What do you think about traffic, historic resources, community character, infrastructure, and housing? The Town Board and Comp Plan Committee want to know.

HERE'S HOW YOU CAN HELP:

- **Attend the Visioning Meeting:** This two-hour meeting will give you information on the Plan and engage you on what you feel are the strengths and weaknesses of the Town, where there are opportunities to help improve the community, and what threats may be impending. Please attend!
  Thursday, October 29, 2026 / 6:30 p.m. to 8:30 p.m.
  Patriot Hills Community Center, 19 Club House Lane, Stony Point, NY 10980
- **Send us an Email:** Tell us what you think at **Feedback@TownOfStonyPoint.org**
- **Take the Survey**: Look for the link at **www.stonypointny.gov**.
  (Survey will be posted at a later date.)

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STONY POINT COMPREHENSIVE PLAN
STONY POINT MOVING FORWARD

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