SUPERVISOR COMMENTS MAY 2019

Sea Wall and Easement Damage ...

The high water levels and wind are playing havoc with several seawalls and easements along Crescent and several seawalls have failed. It will be a busy summer for property owners and contractors as they try to recover from this damage. Some will be replacing the seawalls with giant slabs of stone. Most are aware of the need for permits from the DEQ and Soil and Erosion Department.

BS&A Training for Treasurer, Water Clerk and Township Clerk ...

From July 31 - August 2, our Clerks will travel to Marquette for speciality training. We were hoping training would be available at a location closer to home, but unfortunately, that is not the case. BS&A schedules once-a-year training at a different location and next year's training location has yet to be determined. There is no charge for training per se, and the only charges would be for rooms, two meals a day and transportation. BS&A will provide a daily luncheon.

Changes to the Sims-Whitney Utility Authority ...

I have stepped down for a few months from the water authority to aid in recovery from my recent heart attack. Mike Deleo has been appointed by the Sims Board to represent our township and him and Sam will be a fantastic team. Fran Semenick was appointed Chairperson.

Cemetery Flags ...

Several from Sims and Whitney gathered at the cemetery on Monday (5/13) to replace the flags on the graves of our veterans. Judy met with the Cub Scouts earlier in the day to replace flags in the new section. The Boy Scouts will gather all of our tattered flags for the last two years for a ceremonial burning. On 5/27, there will be the flag raising ceremony with our living veterans at 11 a.m.

Final Thought ...

Some people come in your life as blessings, others come in your life as lessons!