



## **VILLAGE OF BLACK RIVER**

### Fall 2020 Newsletter

The Village is implementing the Immediate Response Information System (IRIS) which is a system for broadcasting alerts and or notifications via phone, text or email. We will be able to utilize this system for emergency notifications, event and bill reminders etc. This system is similar to the one that Carthage Central School District uses. Each household (user) is allowed 3 phone or text devices and two email addresses. Phones may be landlines or cell phones. Users may choose which notification method(s) they prefer. If you wish to participate you may enter your information and preferences on a comment form on the village website [www.blackriverny.org](http://www.blackriverny.org) or on the enclosed form. You may submit the form in person, by mail, or you may place it in the drop box by the double doors.

#### **BRUSH COLLECTION**

Final brush collection for the season will be October 15<sup>th</sup>.

Brush will be collected on or near the 15<sup>th</sup> of the month – please do not place curbside more than 2 days prior.

Property owners and contractors removing trees or large amounts of brush are responsible for the disposal.

Place brush curbside in separate piles so that they are manageable.

Keep brush under 10 feet in length.

Do not mix leaves with brush, they are collected separately.

Do not block fire hydrants.

We do not collect grass clippings.

Please do not blow your grass into the street.

## **LEAVES**

Leaves will be collected (as schedule allows) beginning on or around Columbus Day and will continue until the first significant snow fall.

Place curbside – no bags

## **PARKING BAN**

Parking is prohibited on Village streets from November 1<sup>st</sup>. through April 1<sup>st</sup> between 2 a.m. – 6 a.m.

## **SNOW REMOVAL**

Just a reminder that NY State law prohibits blowing or shoveling snow into the street.

Snow and ice must be cleared from your sidewalk within 24 hours of accumulation in accordance with Village Code. If sidewalks are not cleared a fee of \$75.00 will be charged for the first offense and \$150.00 for subsequent offenses.

## **BUILDING/ZONING PERMITS**

Many projects require permits. Please call the Village of Black River Codes Department at 315-773-5721 before beginning a project. A stop work order may be issued for any job started without a building permit and subject to a \$50 fine.

**Garbage** collection begins at 7 a.m. on Mondays unless it falls on a holiday, then it will be collected Tuesday. Garbage **must** be in clear bags. Only household garbage will be collected. Any large items must be disposed of by the property owner.

**Beginning** November 5<sup>th</sup> recyclables will be collected at 7 a.m. every other Thursday. Collection dates for the remainder of the year will be 10/1, 10/15, 11/5, 11/19, 12/3, 12/17 & 12/31.

You may refer to our website for complete garbage and recycling information. [www.blackriverny.org](http://www.blackriverny.org)

Please feel free to call the village office at 315-773-5721 if you have any questions.

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If you wish to participate, please fill out the form below with your information. Forms may be submitted in person, by mail with your water bill payment or placed in the drop box located next to the double doors at the Karl J. Vebber Municipal Building, 107 Jefferson Place. An online form is also available on the village website [www.blackriverny.org](http://www.blackriverny.org).

Please fill in your information below.

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Home/Cell: \_\_\_\_\_

Home/Cell: \_\_\_\_\_

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\*Preferred way of contact:

Please Check: Home \_\_\_ Cell \_\_\_ Text \_\_\_ Email \_\_\_ All \_\_\_

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