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## Village of Harristown

Skip a phone call and use your mobile phone's text messaging service to find information and report issues on the go. **No app downloads required!**



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**Report** Issues & Find Answers

#### Connect Via Text

Introducing a new way to skip a phone call and use your mobile phone's text messaging service to quickly report issues and/or find information on the

#### 24/7 Assistance

Smart texting technology evaluates your input and searches keywords to provide you with assistance anytime, day or night.

#### Get Started

Text **Hi**  
to: **217.963.7177**



**Harristown Text Alerts** (Additional Service Option)  
**Receive village text message notifications!**  
*Sign up today*  
Text **HARRISTOWNALERTS** to **91896**

#### What to Expect:

- After the initial keyword is sent, you will receive a confirmation message asking you to reply YES to verify opt-in.
- You will receive multiple text messages a month with a notification for each alert category selection.
- Message and data rates may apply. Check with your carrier for more details.

#### How to Opt-Out:

Text STOP at any time to remove yourself from the notification list.

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## VILLAGE BOARD MEETING SCHEDULE

April 22, 2024

May 20, 2024

June 24, 2024

July 22, 2024

August 26, 2024

September 23, 2024

October 28, 2024

November 25, 2024

December 16, 2024

**Meetings start at 6:30 pm and are open to the public to attend.**

If you notice a streetlight burned out call Ameren at 1-800-755-5000

### CALENDAR OF EVENTS

**\*\* Indicates Office Closed**

May 4-Village Clean Up Day

May 27-Memorial Day\*\*

June 8- Village Garage Sales

June 29- Independence Day Celebration

July 4-Independence Day\*\*

August 3- Wycklesfest

August 24-Golf Cart Rally

September 2-Labor Day\*\*

October 14-Columbus Day\*\*

October 31-Trick or Treating 5-8pm

November 11-Veteran's Day \*\*

November 16-Holiday Bazaar

November 28-Thanksgiving\*\*

December 24- Christmas Eve\*\*

December 25- Christmas \*\*

December 31- New Year's Eve \*\*

### VILLAGE OF HARRISTOWN

#### MAYOR & BOARD MEMBERS

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FINANCIAL CLERK-TERESA ACREE

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BUDGET OFFICER-RICK LASKOWSKI

BUILDING INSPECTOR-RICK WATTS

ZONING/PLANNING OFFICER-MIKE SORRENTINO

OFFICE STAFF- MISTY PETERS

#### PUBLIC WORKS DEPT.

JONATHAN CLOSS

CHAD LEFFLER

JESSE HAMILTON

#### REMEMBER

You can always email the Village directly from the website or by emailing

[harristownvillage01@gmail.com](mailto:harristownvillage01@gmail.com)



## Brush Collection Resumes

Brush collections will continue to be the 2<sup>nd</sup> Tuesday of each month, starting in April-October. Remember all yard waste needs to be in bags. All branches need to be cut into 4 foot or less lengths. Brush pick-up is intended for branches removed during routine trimming or due to storm damage.

Brush and yard waste **MUST** be by the curb.



**NOTICE**  
**NO SOLICITING**

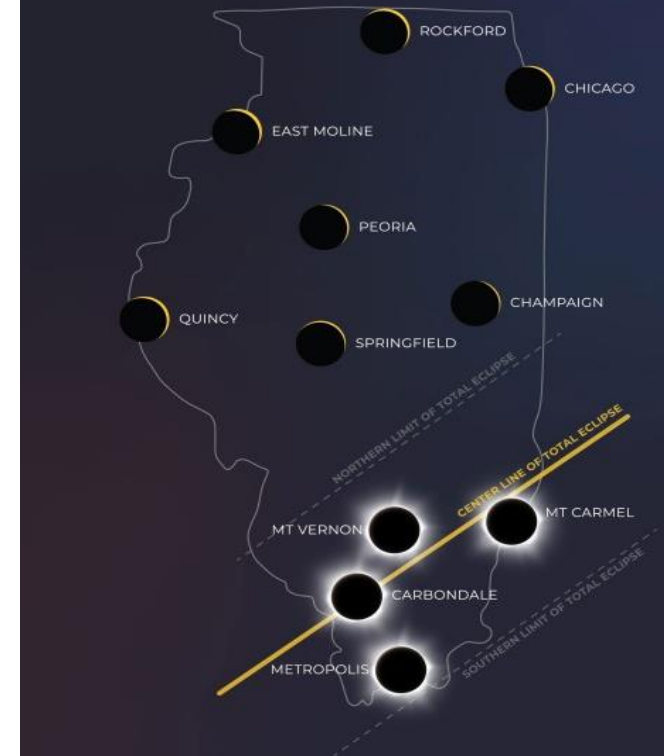
Solicitors are not allowed to go door to door within the Village. If a solicitor knocks on your door, you can inform them of this and direct them to contact the Village office during business hours.

## SOLAR ECLIPSE 2024

April 8, 2024:

### WHAT WILL ILLINOIS SEE?

Solar Eclipse Maximum Visibility in Illinois



The 2024 solar eclipse will be visible over approximately 128 miles of Illinois April 8.

Totality enters Illinois as it crosses the Missouri state line southwest in Carbondale at 1:58 p.m.

The eclipse will follow a diagonal line crossing over Fairfield and exit Illinois at Mount Carmel at 2:06 p.m.

You should **never** look directly at the sun during an eclipse. To safely view the eclipse, consider: Eclipse Glasses, Solar Filters, or a Pinhole Viewer

## Village of Harristown Community YARD SALE

Friday & Saturday

June 7<sup>th</sup> & 8<sup>th</sup>

To be added to the online map and published yard sale list, contact the Village office at [harristownvillage01@gmail.com](mailto:harristownvillage01@gmail.com), 217-963-2980, or drop your information in the payment drop box.

Illopolis & Niantic Community Yard Sales on these days also.

## Village of Harristown Community clean UP DAY

Saturday, May 4th  
9am-12pm  
Harristown Community Center ~ 185 N. Kembark

For Drop-off

Cell Phones ~ Small Electronics ~ Printers & ink cartridges ~ Computers & Components ~ VCR/DVD Players ~ Cameras & Camcorders  
Surge protectors/Power strips ~ Small Appliances  
Satellite/Cable equipment ~ Power and accessory cords ~ Scrap metal  
Scrap appliances ~ Tires

- ❖ Limit of 4 Automobile Tires per household ~ \$2/tire for each additional ~ \$20/ tractor tire
- ❖ 3 Electronics at no charge ~ \$10 for additional
- ❖ 2 Dumpsters will be available ~ 1 for large items and 1 for metals/appliances

\*Proof of residency must be provided

