



# QUEENSTOWN NEWS

## FEBRUARY 2022

### COMMISSIONER'S CORNER –

- Dredge work at the Town Docks is currently in progress. Work is anticipated to be completed by mid-February.
- Sidewalk work in certain areas of the Town is expected to begin the week of February 7. Residents in affected areas were previously notified of work to begin once conditions allowed.
- Boat ramp construction/upgrade should begin by the end of February.
- First phase of Dock improvements has been completed, which included the polyurethane injection to stabilize the bulk heading. The Second Phase, which includes design and repair modifications to the 1st and 2nd Ave. Piers, existing finger pier repairs, bulkhead repair and improvements, waterline extension, paving and repaving and parking lot design modifications have been put out to bid with bids due 2/22. We anticipate work to begin sometime in March/early April. Funding for the 1st and 2nd Ave dock work and dredging is being paid for with grant money awarded to the Town from DNR Waterway Improvement Fund totaling almost \$350,000.
- The Town also applied for \$100,000 in grant funding from DNR Waterway Improvement Fund for engineering work to dredge the channel coming into Queenstown Creek. Town is waiting for final approval, which is scheduled for early spring.
- The Town has recently conducted inspections of the playground equipment at the Queenstown Community Park and will be exploring options for repairs and potential replacement of areas needing maintenance. Updates will be provided on any progress.
- The Commissioners are seeking residents who may be interested in serving on the Queenstown Finance Committee and the Board of Appeals. Residents who would like to be considered may submit letters of interest to [townoffice@queenstown-md.com](mailto:townoffice@queenstown-md.com) or to the Town Office.
- Want to stay up to date on all the happenings in Queenstown? We welcome you to attend a Commissioners or Planning Commission meeting or view meeting minutes posted on our website.

**ADMINISTRATIVE DAY OFFICE CLOSING** – The Town Office will be closed on Wednesday, February 16, for administrative purposes. Normal hours will resume on February 17, 2022.

**SIDEWALK SAFETY** – We would like to remind all residents during the winter weather season to keep sidewalks clear to provide safe walking paths throughout the town. Section 19-59 (3) of the Town Charter requires homeowners to keep all sidewalks abutting their properties clear of any obstructions including ice and snow.

**TOWN OFFICE POSITION AVAILABLE** – Applications are being accepted for the position of Office Clerk Assistant. The general purpose of this position is to perform work required during the daily operation in the Town Office. Duties include, but are not limited to, filing, photocopying, scanning, posting data, sorting mail and other materials, assist with monthly mailings, and directing phone calls and visitors. Benefits package offered, which includes health, dental and pension. For application and job description with list of duties and requirements, visit [www.queenstown-md.com/employment](http://www.queenstown-md.com/employment) or contact [townoffice@queenstown-md.com](mailto:townoffice@queenstown-md.com). NO PHONE CALLS PLEASE.

### UPCOMING SCHEDULED REGULAR MEETINGS

**Planning Commission:**  
Wednesday, February 2, 7 pm  
Wednesday, March 2, 7 pm

**Town Commissioners:**  
Tuesday, February 8, 4 pm  
Wednesday, February 23, 6 pm

*Dates subject to change.*  
More info at: [www.queenstown-md.com/events-meetings/#meetings](http://www.queenstown-md.com/events-meetings/#meetings)

### UPCOMING SCHEDULED RECYCLE DAYS

Wednesday,	February	2
Wednesday,	February	16
Wednesday,	March	2
Wednesday,	March	16

More info at: [www.queenstown-md.com/services/collection-services/](http://www.queenstown-md.com/services/collection-services/)

### TOWN OFFICE & SERVICE HOLIDAY SCHEDULE

**Administrative Day – February 16**  
**Presidents Day – February 21**

Town Office will be closed Wed, Feb. 16 for Administrative purposes and Mon, Feb. 21 for Presidents Day. Bulk Collection will be on Tues, Feb. 22.

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