

Town Council Actions: June 5, 2018

The following items are extracts of recent Town Council actions and are not official meeting minutes. The most recent approved Town Council minutes and agendas are available online at www.occoquanva.gov. All votes are unanimous unless noted otherwise.

- Approved Ordinance O-2018-2 to grant the Small Cell Facilities Franchise as presented to Mobilitie, Inc.
- Adopted Revised Fee Schedule

Did You Know? Grass Maintenance in Occoquan

Summer is upon us; now we can return to enjoying our outdoor spaces and yards! As we turn our focus on lawn maintenance and care, please be reminded that grass, weeds and other foreign growth in your yard must be kept under 12 inches in height. Anything found above this height is a violation of the Town Code Section 30-36. The intent of this ordinance is to ensure properties are kept in neat condition and promote the health and safety of our community. The Town's trash collection service will pick up yard debris and leaves each Wednesday. If you have any questions, please contact Town Hall.



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Kirstyn Jovanovich, Town Manager
Adam Linn, Chief of Police
Chris Coon, Town Clerk
Carla Rodriguez, Town Treasurer
Julie Little, Events Director
Bucky Brill, Maintenance Supervisor
Pam Holbert, Administrative Asst.

Mayor's Letter

This is my first letter as your new Mayor and I would like to begin by thanking all of you for the honor of serving. I am grateful for the confidence you have placed in me and will do my very best to justify your trust. I would also like to take a moment to commend both those who sought Town office during the last election, as well as the outgoing, continuing, and incoming council members. Your commitment and dedication to Occoquan speaks volumes about the vibrancy of our community. I would also like to very specifically thank Mayor Liz Quist and Town Manager Kirstyn Jovanovich. Although sometimes unrecognized, the accomplishments of these two individuals over the past four years have been nothing short of astounding. Working together and with a dedicated staff, they have transformed Occoquan in ways that will redound to the benefit of our community for years. We all owe them a debt of gratitude and I urge you to join me in thanking them for their outstanding service and wishing them all the best in their future endeavors.

Finally, as I did when I took office for the first time years ago, I would like to extend my personal gratitude to all the residents, business owners, visitors, and friends of Occoquan who have so generously offered me not only your support, but your suggestions and advice. I have known many of you for some time and have gotten to know many more of you over the past few years. For those that I have not had the opportunity to speak with at length, I hope to do so in the weeks and months ahead. As always I am committed to learning from our interactions and benefiting from your perspectives. Occoquan, I believe, is blessed with a Town Council and staff who are committed to working diligently on your behalf. I believe I speak for all of them when I say that we very much look forward to serving you.

Earnie W. Porta, Jr.

THE TOWN OF OCCOQUAN PRESENTS

Music on Mill

FREE SUMMER
Concert
SERIES 2018



First Fridays &
Third Saturdays
at River Mill Park
6:00-8:00 p.m.
(Movies begin at sundown)
458 Mill Street, Occoquan

Blankets and lawn chairs welcome. No tents or pop-ups.
Free public parking available on street and in town lots.

Fri., May 4: Maggie Shot Burns (90s Covers)

Sat., May 19: The Sidleys (Rock/Soul)

Sat., June 16: Cheley Tackett (Country)

Fri., July 6: Movie in the Park (Starts at sundown)

Sat., July 21: Sub-Radio (Indie/Pop/Rock)

Fri., Aug. 3: FeelFree (Reggae/Rock)

Sat., Aug. 18: Rocknoceros (Children's Rock/Pop)

Fri., Sept. 7: Movie in the Park (Starts at sundown)

Sat., Sept. 15: James Drakes & the Chris Taylor Trio
(Acoustic Rock)

www.occoquanva.gov
Facebook.com/OccoquanCraftShow

July 2018

Town Meetings and Events

(All meetings are held at Town Hall, 314 Mill Street, unless otherwise noted.)

July 3: Town Council Meeting
7:00 p.m., Town Hall

July 4: Independence Day Holiday
Town Hall Closed

July 6: Movie in the Park!
Disney's Moana
Starts at sundown, 8:30 p.m., River Mill Park

July 7: Duck Splash
12 p.m., Historic Occoquan

July 20: June 2018 Meals Tax and Transient Occupancy Tax Due

July 20-21: Lemonade Stroll
10 a.m. – 5 p.m., Historic Occoquan

July 21: Music on Mill
Sub-Radio (Indie/Pop/Rock)
6:00 pm – 8:00 pm, River Mill Park

July 24: Town and Business Partnership Meeting
5:30 p.m., Town Hall

July 24: Planning Commission, 6:30 p.m.
ARB Meeting, 7:30 p.m.
Town Hall

Occoquan Arts and Crafts Show - Thank You!

Thank you to our residents, businesses, vendors, visitors and volunteers for all of your help during the Spring Occoquan Arts and Crafts Show! While the weather was not ideal, we are still very grateful for everyone who came out to support or many wonderful vendors, many who travel from across the country to participate in our show. With spring behind us and summer in full swing, we are already looking forward to the Fall 2018 Show! We are always striving to improve the show for our vendors, visitors, and volunteers, and we would like your feedback and suggestions on what we can do to improve on future shows. Please take a moment to complete this short, 5-minute survey and let us know about your experience: <https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/XLHQ3JZ>

Independence Day Fireworks and Celebrations

July 4, 2018
Old Town Manassas
3:00-10:00 pm
Fireworks at 9:15pm
Free admission
www.VisitManassas.org

July 4, 2018
Potomac Nationals
G. Richard Pfitzner Stadium
Fireworks following
the game
www.Facebook.com/
PotomacNationals