

# Village Government

## Village Assembly

The Village Assembly is the legislative body of our direct democracy. Any person 18 years or older, having resided for a period of at least 30 consecutive days, who currently resides in the Village for the majority of the calendar year, may participate as a voter at Village Assembly meetings. Residents include those renting housing units in the Village, as well as resident leaseholders. Meetings are open to the public.

## Meeting Schedule

The Village Assembly meets at the Buzz Ware Village Center at 7:00 PM on the 3<sup>rd</sup> Monday in the months of February, November, May, and September. The following are the meeting dates for Fiscal Year 2025:

- September 16, 2024
- November 18, 2024
- February 17, 2025
- May 19, 2025

## Officers

Position	Name	Phone	Email	Term Years Remaining (TYR)
<b>Chair</b>	Ben Gruswitz	302-385-6662	chair@ardencroft.delaware.gov	2
<b>Secretary</b>	Jennifer Abernethy	302-588-2219	secretary@ardencroft.delaware.gov	1
<b>Treasurer</b>	Don Lipari	302-272-5746	treasurer@ardencroft.delaware.gov	1

## Members of Regular Committees

### Environment Committee

Scott Bowers	302-388-9942	1 TYR
Kevin Nemeth	518-325-6620	2 TYR
Jeannie Stith	267-972-4447	2 TYR
<b>Lisa Surbrook***</b>	<b>302-584-2355</b>	<b>1 TYR</b>
John Wenderoth	610-357-0434	2 TYR

### Finance Committee

<b>Lorna Lee***</b>	<b>302-475-1198</b>	<b>1 TYR</b>
Lindsey Mix	215-275-1169	2 TYR
Ken Rosenberg	302-475-1198	2 TYR

### Public Works Committee

Wayne Knotts	302-475-7074	1 TYR
Rob Stigler	302-290-2237	2 TYR

### Registration Committee

Annette Hearing	302-438-0191	1 TYR
<b>Linda Toman***</b>	<b>302-354-1951</b>	<b>2 TYR</b>
Michael Wood	302-231-2011	1 TYR

### Safety Committee

Jay Morente	302-529-9087	1 TYR
<b>Tiffany Stigler***</b>	<b>302-562-6509</b>	<b>2 TYR</b>
Jeff Tindall	302-690-4203	2 TYR

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Scott Bowers	302-388-9942	1 TYR
Chris Raia***	617-620-3978	1 TYR
Kevin Nemeth	518-325-6620	2 TYR

## Members of Special Committees

### 75<sup>th</sup> Anniversary/ Park Dedication

Jennifer Abernethy
Kim Byarm
Waju Christie
Kathleen Jost***
Pat Morrison
Dan Rubin

### Archives

Kathleen Jost	302-475-1435	1 TYR
Mary Brent Whipple-Schwaber	302-475-8027	2 TYR

### Buzz Ware Village Center

Ken Rosenberg
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### Poultry/Livestock Policy

Vaughn Byarm
Annette Hearing
Linda Toman

### Transportation Plan Monitoring Committee

Ben Gruswitz
Chris Raia
Tiffany Stigler

## Ardencroft Association

[ardencroftassociation.org](http://ardencroftassociation.org)

The Ardencroft Association is a separate entity from the Village Government. It is a nonprofit organization led by three Directors. Directors are not elected but appointed by other directors. They are allowed to serve for life. Although the government manages the public, non-leasehold land, the Association owns all non-roadway land. The association also handles lease agreements and receives land rent.

## Directors

Name	Phone	Email
Wyn Achenbaum	(203) 722-1644	wyn.achenbaum@ardencroftassociation.org
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Pat Toman	(302) 475-7508	patrick.toman@ardencroftassociation.org

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## Administrative Assistant

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