

## **Special Notice**

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**Town Website Update Info** 

## TOWN'S UPGRADED WEBSITE INCREASES ACCESSIBILITY, IS MORE MOBILE-FRIENDLY

The Town's website upgrade is complete! The update provides increased access and a secure platform. Our website is now **fully ADA compliant**, thereby ensuring access to the widest possible audience, regardless of circumstance and ability. It allows optimized screen reader and keyboard navigation use, and includes various assistive features for vision and motor impaired users, as well as for those with other special needs, including epilepsy, ADHD and cognitive disabilities. Users can adjust fonts, colors, audio, content elements and other functions to suit their needs.

The website now is much more **mobile-friendly**. Viewing it on a cell phone, tablet or other mobile device is easier to navigate and provides the same quality functions as viewing it via desktop. Users can access anything on the Town website – including news, project updates, Town Board meeting livestreaming and more – from anywhere, and at any time, with an internet connection.

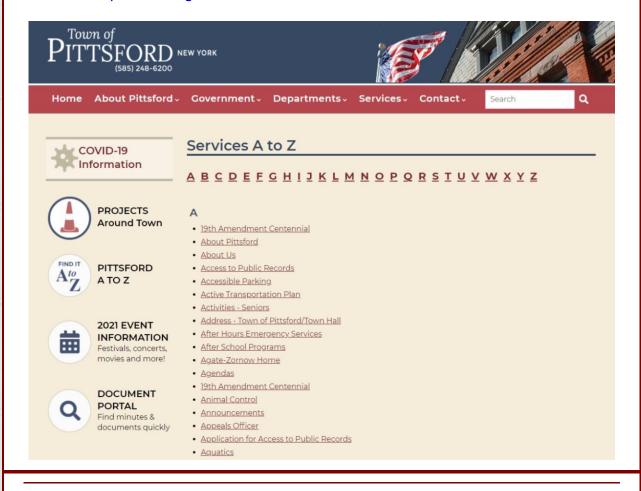
We've also upgraded the Town website to a **secure platform**, which will allow for expanding online business transaction options in the future.

"The new design looks great, but what's most important to us is the increased access, including mobile enhancements and ADA compliance, and the secure platform our website now provides," said Town Supervisor Bill Smith. Supervisor Smith continued "Our Town staff team worked diligently for many months on this project, with outstanding results. My sincere thanks to IT Director Joy Brown, Communication Director Shelley O'Brien and Technical Specialist Alicia Forward for their exceptional work on a job well done!"

The updated website has an extensive range of information easily accessible to all. Check the **About Pittsford** tab for information about our parks and trails, community events, project updates, Town history and more. The **Services** and **Departments** tabs both feature detailed drop-down menu choices that make it easy to find just what you're looking for and our **Contact** tab allows you to find contact information by topic. Under the **Government** tab you'll find links to key Town information, including board meeting agendas and minutes, budget and assessment information, Town reports and publications, the Town Code, and more.

Our **Find it A-Z List** offers a list of direct links to hundreds of topics. To search it, use the Pittsford A to Z graphic link found on all web pages or use the link under the Services tab.

We're proud to offer an updated Town website that is accessible, secure, user-friendly and a valuable resource to our community members. Be sure to check it out at <a href="https://www.townofpittsford.org">www.townofpittsford.org</a>!



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