

**From:** Mayor <[mayor@scarsdale.com](mailto:mayor@scarsdale.com)>  
**Subject: Re: To the Mayor ...from Resident Susan Levine**  
**Date:** November 17, 2020 at 9:47:01 PM EST  
**To:** Bal1998 <[bal1998@aol.com](mailto:bal1998@aol.com)>

Hi Susan,

Thank you for your email. I'm going to step aside from the issue of leaf pickup for now as it is a lengthy Board discussion that will take place sometime in the future.

What the Village is doing is increasing enforcement of leaves piled in the streets. Hopefully we will see an impact in the future from today's enforcement effort.

Be well and have a happy Thanksgiving.

Best regards,

Marc

Sent from my iPhone

On Nov 17, 2020, at 8:04 PM, Bal1998 <[bal1998@aol.com](mailto:bal1998@aol.com)> wrote:

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Thanks Marc...

On another subject...if we could only convince more people to eliminate the HUGE and Dangerous Leaf Piles on our Roads.. by Mulching...The Leaf Piles this month are larger than ever..

I welcome people driving past my house with my HUGE Maple Trees and not a leaf pile in sight...all my leaves having been turned into fertilizer by my gardener.. who mulches them.. and then blows the excess mulch into my shrub and flower beds..

I contend as I have in the past that most people in town have No idea what Mulching actually does...or they would ask their gardeners do it... I have tried to convince the residents on my street to Mulch..with limited success...

It makes no sense but that is the way it is...

I think we may have to finally Ban the Leaf Piles and not have Leaf Pickup..and suddenly all gardeners will be Mulching or taking the leaves away as they do in New Rochelle and other nearby towns.. Compliance appears impossible...and driving has become really hazardous in town...

Thanks for listening...

Susan Levine  
Ardmore Road

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From: Mayor <[mayor@scarsdale.com](mailto:mayor@scarsdale.com)>

To: Bal1998 <[bal1998@aol.com](mailto:bal1998@aol.com)>

Cc: [trustees@scarsdale.com](mailto:trustees@scarsdale.com) <[trustees@scarsdale.com](mailto:trustees@scarsdale.com)>

Sent: Mon, Nov 16, 2020 8:03 pm

Subject: Re: To the Mayor and The Trustees ...from Resident Susan Levine

Hi Susan,

Thank you for your email. We appreciate you sharing your thoughts about the Middle School Comfort Station with us.

Be well.

Best regards,

Marc

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On Nov 16, 2020, at 6:40 PM, Bal1998 <[bal1998@aol.com](mailto:bal1998@aol.com)> wrote:

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To the Mayor and Trustees..mainly Justin Arest and Jonathan Lewis...

I was dismayed to learn that Justin and Jonathan did Not vote in Favor of moving along the proposal for the Comfort Station at the Junior High Tennis Courts. Fortunately the other Trustees did vote yes..

My concern about the No votes was for a number of reasons including that the Project has been on the burner for years and has been Funded already...finally...

But the main impression I would like to send to the two Trustees

who voted No is that it is obvious that they have not lived in Scarsdale long enough to know the history of the Junior High Tennis Courts and how Bob Harrison single handedly fought for their construction over the objections of the School Board..among others...

If not for Bob..those tennis courts would now be a parking lot.

A Comfort Station has long been needed there.  
But until now...it had not been considered..

Bob's efforts and the proposals to which he devotes his time are always for the betterment of our Village and the benefit of its residents and should be respected as such.

His occasional temper notwithstanding...

It is a shame that important details about Scarsdale's history remain unknown by some of us....

We always move slowly in our Village..but Bob persists and gets things done.

Sincerely,  
Susan Levine  
Ardmore Road