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From: Bal1998
Sent: Wednesday, June 14, 2017 6:16 PM
To: Clerk's Department
Subject: ToThe Board of Trustees From Resident Susan Levine...About Scarsdale's Summer Leaf Blower Ban

Dear Board of Trustees..

I have been trying to encourage compliance with our Summer Gas Leaf Blower Ban...a Village Law that is in effect from June 1-September 30 each year..

and have been contacting my neighbors to let them know about the Ban and to ask that they let their Gardeners know that they should obey the Ban.

Some of my neighbors have said that since everyone is Disobeying the Ban.. why should they obey it??

Perhaps we might consider fining the Homeowner as well as the Gardener when a Leaf Blower violation occurs?..Is that an Option?

Might I also respectfully suggest that as Village Trustees you consider letting your neighbors on the streets where you live know that they should ask their Gardeners to Obey the Leaf Blower Ban..just as I have done... I must assume that you have already asked your own gardeners to respect the Blower Ban

Getting compliance one block at a time might be a beginning.

Communication about the Leaf Blower Ban is mostly lacking..since most residents do not read the local newspaper or watch Board Meetings on Cable TV.

New residents.. as well as many other homeowners ..do not know about the Ban. Ask around and you will see what I mean.

Although the Blower Ban has been in effect in our Village for 15 years..compliance is a long way off.
Every little bit can help.

Thanks very much.

Susan Levine
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