

Whispering Woods Homeowners Association

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Happy New Year to Everyone!

- Many of us were overcharged with the last water bill because it had 21 additional days causing the rate to increase into the higher tier group. Each property owner has to call Worcester County at 410-632-0686 x1216 to have the overcharge credited to their account.
- There were numerous cars broken into within our community so please keep your vehicle locked at all times. A 17 year-old juvenile who was visiting the area, was recently arrested with multiple theft charges in connection with these break-ins. Call the Maryland State Police @ 410-641-3101 or the Sheriff's Office @ 410-632-1111 if you had any recent theft.
- The HOA has recently purchased and installed "Children at Play" safety signs per the request of many homeowners.
- The Mystic Harbor Water & Sewer Advisory Council recently toured the Glen Riddle Sewer treatment plant for possible ideas for refurbishing or replacing our aging sewer plant.
- Remember, the Route 50 draw bridge into Ocean City will be closing January 17 for 35 days.
- There is a newsletter for your reading, written by Maryland Coastal Bays, attached as a pdf file. Please email Cristy Layton at mcbp@mdcoastalbays.org. if you have trouble opening this file.
- There has not been any new information about the Airport expansion other than the following:
 - From the Army Corps of Engineers to Hal Adkins (Ocean City) dated July 2007 - "Should the Corps ultimately be convinced that there are no practicable alternatives to the extension of runway 14-32, the project must also be demonstrated to be in the public interest, in order for the Corps to authorize it."
 - From the U.S. Dept. of Interior Fish & Wildlife Service to the FAA, dated August 2007 - "Specifically, we have concerns about the impacts of increased air traffic and plane size using the runway approach and takeoff zones over Assateague Island.
- Our pond well is still in need of repair – we are searching for suitable equipment to have it pulled and serviced.