

Village of Quogue Website Privacy Policy

Introduction

The Village of Quogue is committed to maintain the privacy and online security of its website visitors. This policy describes how we handle the information collected during your visit to our website.

Collection of Information

This website collects two types of information:

- Non-personally identifiable information: This includes data that cannot identify you as an individual, such as your IP address, browser type, operation system, and the date and time of your visit. This information is collected automatically from server logs for security, management, and statistical purposes. We use this data to monitor website traffic, diagnose problems, and improve the overall user experience.
- Voluntarily provided personal information: We only collect personally identifiable information (PII) if you choose to provide it by voluntarily participating in an activity on our website, such as:

Sending an email to a village department

Completing an online form for a permit, application, or service request

Subscribing to an email notification list

Use of Personal Information

Any personal information you voluntarily provide will be used for the purpose for which it was intended, such as responding to your message or processing your request.

Sharing of Information

The Village will not sell, rent, or trade your personal information to third parties. However, please be aware that the information you provide may be shared in the following situations:

Public records laws: All information submitted to the village, including through this website, may be considered public record and may be subject to disclosure under applicable laws, such as a Freedom of Information Law (FOIL) request or other public records request.

Legal requirements: We may disclose your information if legally required to do so by a court order, subpoena, or other federal or state laws.

Village business: Information may be shared internally with other village departments or agencies as necessary to fulfill your request or conduct official village business.

External Links

This website may contain links to external websites that are not owned or operated by the Village of Quogue. The village is not responsible for the privacy practices or content of these external sites. When you follow an external line, you are subject to the privacy policy of that website.

Cookies

The Village website may use session cookies or other standard tracking technologies to enhance functionality and improve the user experience. For example, cookies may be used to remember your preferences or to provide you with customized features. These technologies collect non-personal information and generally do not track individual activity once you leave the site.

Data Security

The Village of Quogue is committed to the security of your information. We have implemented technical and administrative measures designed to protect against the loss, misuse, and alteration of the information we control. However, as no data transmission over the internet can be guaranteed to be 100% secure, we cannot warrant the security of information you transmit to us.

Children's Privacy

The Village does not knowingly collect or create profiles of children under 13. We encourage parents and guardians to be involved in their children's online activities and guide them when providing personal information on any website.

Policy Updates

We may update this privacy policy at any time to reflect changes in our website features or applicable laws. We encourage you to review this policy periodically.

Contact Information

If you have any questions or concerns about this privacy policy, please contact us at:

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