

Cremona RV dump now open for service

Village reaches agreement with Lions Club to man station

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After several weeks of debating back and forth, Village of Cremona officials have reached an agreement with the Cremona Lions Club to man the RV dumping station, which is now open for service.

The village is charging the Lions Club \$100 a month – \$50 for water and \$50 for sewer – to run the station.

The station usually opens May 1 but council decided in April not to open it until some issues

were resolved, including clogging and finding the money to hire someone that would oversee operations.

But during the council meeting in May, members of the Lions Club offered to help man the station.

Village officials later proposed a contract that would charge the Lions \$2,000 per six-month-long season to cover the cost of water and sewer.

But a member of the Lions Club said during the council

meeting in June that charge was too high.

Luana Smith, chief administrative officer for the village, said the rate was based on how much the village has paid for water and sewer in previous years.

Village officials also said the Lions would be able to set and collect the fee for people to use the station.

Smith said the charge to run the station will be reassessed in November after it's closed for the season.