

NEWS & NOTES

From the Village of Dane

DECEMBER 2019

2020 Trash Recycling Calendar



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The 2020 Trash and Recycling Calendar is enclosed with this month's bill. Please keep this calendar handy for holiday changes and recycling pick up schedules.

Reminder of Village Winter Parking Rules

According to Village Ordinances Winter Parking begins on November 15 and ends on March 15 of the following year. **A new revised rule is "No Parking on any village street from 2 am to 6 am"**. This allows the Public Works Department time to properly remove snow and to salt/sand the village streets. The fine is \$25 if your vehicle is left on the street during the no parking hours. The new ordinance is printed on the backside of the newsletter.



2020 General Fund Budget Approved

Village Trustees adopted the 2020 General Fund Budget at the December 2, 2019 meeting.

Village taxpayers can expect to see a small increase in the mil rate for the village.

Snow in The Road?

Please remember that pushing or blowing snow into the road is against village ordinances. Fines will be issued if this becomes a problem.



Real Estate Tax Bill

Tax bills will be mailed by December 16, 2019. Watch for yours to arrive. Village Clerk Office Hours and Dog Tag Applications will be enclosed with the tax bill.

Dog Tags Renew Each Year in January

A complete application and a current Rabies Certificate must accompany the application per dog. Please note that the fees have increased to \$25 per male/female and \$20 per spayed/neutered dog. Please use a separate check for dog tags and a stamped self-addressed envelope must be included, if you wish for tags to be mailed to you. Late fees of \$20 per dog apply after March 31.

Lodi Valley Chronicle

There is a new online newspaper available which can be accessed at lodivalleychronicle.com. The paper is owned by Blaze Miskulin and he states that "The Lodi Valley Chronicle was created to bring Lodi's news back into the hands of Lodians, and to resurrect the old-school, non-biased, local-focused news we used to have when the Lodi Enterprise lived in an historic Main Street building and was run by the Skolodas." Check out this nice resource for local news and information!

Keep those Sidewalks Clear!

Whenever there is any precipitation that falls in the form of snow or ice, your sidewalk needs to be cleared within 24 hours after the precipitation ends. Fines will be assessed after a written warning is issued and fines will accumulate each 24 hours that the sidewalks are not cleared. We do have a lot of walkers in the village and we need to help keep them as safe as possible. This ordinance is available online at the following link:

<https://www.ecode360.com/15293162>

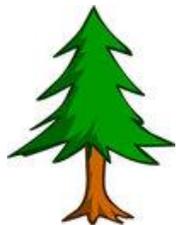


Caucus – January 20, 2020 at 6:30pm

The Village of Dane has 3 seats, each with a term of 2 years, up for election on the board, President and two Trustees. If you are interested, you need to attend the Caucus and have someone with you to nominate you for the position. A nomination and a second is required to have your name placed on the ballot for the spring election to be held Tuesday, April 7, 2020. Please consider serving your community!

The Public Works Department Will Be Collecting Christmas Trees

Starting in January, trees will be picked up on the second Tuesday in January and February. Have trees out early, please.



Office Hours

The Village Clerk's office hours from December 16, 2019 thru January 3, 2020 will be slightly modified due to the holidays and tax collection. See the back side for more details!



Sec. 495-19. – Parking During Snow Season.

- (A) Parking of any motor vehicle is prohibited upon any street within the Village limits between 2:00 a.m. and 6:00 a.m. from November 15 to March 15.
- (B) Whenever any police officer shall find an unattended vehicle violating the terms of this section, such officer may provide for the removal of such vehicle, at owner's expense, to the nearest garage or other place of safety.
- (C) The Village shall erect signage at all entryways to the Village, and in all municipal parking lots, notifying the public of the provisions of this section.
- (D) Notwithstanding any other provisions of this code, any person violating provisions of this section regarding winter parking regulation shall forfeit not more than \$25.00.

Village Clerk's Office Hours from December 16, 2019 – January 3, 2020:

Monday, December 16	8:30 am to 4:30 pm	Regular Office hours & tax bills mailed by today!
Tuesday, December 17	8:30 am to 4:30 pm	Regular office hours
Wednesday, December 18	8:30 am to 4:30 pm	Regular office hours
Thursday, December 19	8:30 am to 4:30 pm	Regular office hours
Friday, December 20	8:30 am to 4:30 pm	Regular office hours
Monday, December 23	9:00 am to 1:00 pm	Change in Office Hours
Tuesday, December 24	CLOSED	Christmas Eve Day
Wednesday, December 25	CLOSED	Christmas Day
Thursday, December 26	8:30 am to 4:30 pm	Regular office hours
Friday, December 27	8:30 am to 4:30 pm	Regular office hours
Monday, December 30	8:30 am to 5:30 pm	Change in office hours
Tuesday, December 31	8:30 am to 3:00 pm	Change in office hours
Wednesday, January 1, 2020	CLOSED	New Year's Day – Happy New Year!
Thursday, January 2	8:30 am to 4:30 pm	Regular office hours
Friday, January 3	8:30 am to 4:30 pm	Regular office hours

Weather events, illness, and emergencies can change these planned hours. Please feel free to call the clerk's Office at (608)849 – 5422 to see if we are open before you plan to stop by! Thank you for your understanding.