

NEWS & NOTES

From the Village of Dane

FEBRUARY 2020



SIDEWALKS TO BE CLEAR AT ALL TIMES

It is imperative that property owners stay on top of clearing ice and snow from sidewalks surrounding their property! Even if the snow was cleared previously; melting snow can cause ice to form on sidewalks. A slip or fall due to an icy sidewalk is never a pleasant experience! Be reminded that village residents who walk, the Village Public Works employees, and delivery people may use the sidewalk by your property on a regular basis. The condition of the sidewalk is your responsibility. Please use sand, ice melt products, or salt to remove ice if it forms on your sidewalk. Thank you!

Surveying project

Dane County Planning and Development informed us that they are doing some surveying to maintain the United States Public Land Survey System (USPLSS).



They will be finding, restoring and / or replacing corner monuments and collecting accurate coordinate data. This will go on until early June. This project will benefit residents by cost savings on property surveys and more accurate mapping.

River Valley Surveying LLC is the vendor that will be used in our village. They will have the right to trespass to conduct their work and won't necessarily be able to contact every landowner beforehand. Any small dug holes will be patched and if you have any questions about this, please contact Daniel Frick, Dane County Surveyor at (608)266-4252 or frick@countyofdane.com.

AUTOMATIC PAYMENT AVAILABLE



Your water and sewer bill can be paid by automatic withdrawal from your checking or saving account. Forms are available on the village's website or from the clerk's office. Payment is withdrawn from your account on the due date each month.

ELECTION DAY IS February 18, 2020!

Don't forget to vote!

VISIT THE BOOKMOBILE



The Bookmobile visits Dane **EVERY Monday from 6-8 pm** at the Village Hall. The Bookmobile offers a variety

of newly released books, magazines, DVDs, music and audiobooks for children, teens and adults. Can't find it on the Bookmobile? Place a hold and get it within a week.

Register for a library card on the Bookmobile with an ID and proof of address. Already have a library card? You can check out anything on the Bookmobile!

We accept returns from any library, and Bookmobile items can be returned to any Dane County library.

The Bookmobile is for **EVERYONE** - come check us out!

BINGO ON THURSDAY MORNINGS



Every Thursday from 9 am to 11am a group of local residents play BINGO at the Dane Community Center. Prizes are donated by those who play. Everyone is welcome to join as often as they are available. No registration necessary.

EUCHRE ON THURSDAY AFTERNOONS

Every Thursday from 1 pm to 3:30 pm a dedicated group of local residents gather at the Dane Community Center to play Euchre. A small fee is collected and used for prizes each week. Everyone is welcome to play cards when it works for your schedule. No registration needed. Come, join the fun and polish up your game!

DON'T FORGET YOUR DOG LICENSE!



Dog license renewal is done annually. A completed application and a copy of the current rabies certificate must be provided to the clerk for the new tag to be issued. Cost is \$25 for male or female dogs and \$20 for spayed or neutered dogs. By village ordinance, all dogs residing in the village must be licensed. After March 31, a \$20 late fee is collected. Do not delay, license your dog **TODAY!!**

CENSUS 2020 - Look for this in April

Think "Early Spring!"



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**Village of Dane
RESOLUTION 2020-01
Establishing 2020 Sewer Rates**

WHEREAS, the Village of Dane Water & Sewer Commission has reviewed sewer rates and are recommending an increase in sewer rates for 2020; and

WHEREAS, the Village of Dane pays quarterly fees to the Madison Metropolitan Sewerage District, where the village sends all sewage; and

WHEREAS, with historical data showing a steady increase in all expenses; and

WHEREAS, the Village of Dane has not increased the sewer rate since January 1, 2017; and

WHEREAS, the village continuously reviews the rates to ensure enough revenue is generated to pay all expenses and save for future capital improvements; and

WHEREAS, the Water and Sewer Commission unanimously voted on Monday, December 2, 2019 to raise the sewer usage and flat base fee by seven percent (7%) effect February 1, 2020; and

WHEREAS, the average home which uses 4,000 gallons of water per month will see an increase in sewer fees of approximately \$36.00 per year; and

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED the Village of Dane Board of Trustees hereby authorize an increase of seven percent (7%) in the sewer usage and base fee and establishes the rates below effective February 1, 2020:

Monthly Service Charge: Sewer

5/8 & 3/4 - inch meter	\$ 17.70	3 - inch meter	\$ 83.56
1 - inch meter	\$ 27.39	4 - inch meter	\$ 128.49
1 1/4 - inch meter	\$ 32.80	6 - inch meter	\$ 240.80
1 1/2 - inch meter	\$ 38.63	8 - inch meter	\$ 375.56
2 - inch meter	\$ 52.11	10 - inch meter	\$ 555.28
		12 - inch meter	\$ 734.96

Plus, Volume Charge:

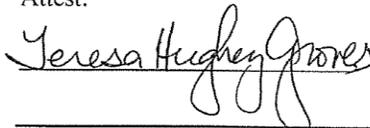
For each 1,000 gallons domestic strength sewage discharged to the sanitary sewer system – \$7.09 per one thousand gallons.

Adopted this day this 6th day of January 2020.


Roger E. Schmidt, Village President

Introduced/Approved: January 6, 2020

Attest:

 Village Clerk Treasurer

VOTE: YES 5 NO 0