

# VILLAGE OF DANE NEWS & NOTES



## January 2021

### Caucus – Tuesday, January 19, 2021 at 6:30 pm

Two Trustee Positions are up for Election in the Village of Dane. The term for each of these seats is two (2) years. Anyone interested in having their name on the ballot for the April election must be nominated at Caucus. All nominations require a first and second nomination from a resident in attendance. If more than 4 names are placed for nomination, then a vote will be held that night to determine the final candidates. The Spring Election is Tuesday, April 6, 2021. The new term starts the third Tuesday in April. Village Trustees are paid a stipend of \$150 per month.



## Elections 2021

There are two Elections in 2021 – Tuesday, February 16, and Tuesday, April 6. If you voted in the Village of Dane in 2020, you are set. You DO NOT need to register again unless you move or change your name. If you absentee voted by mail, you may need to request absentee ballots for the new year. Check your voter status at [myvote.wi.gov](http://myvote.wi.gov). Here is what will be on the ballot in February:

- State Superintendent of Public Instruction
- Court of Appeals Judges, Districts I, II, III
- Circuit Court Judges
- Local nonpartisan races – (school board)

In-person absentee voting will begin on Tuesday, February 2, 2021.

If in 2020, you voted as an Indefinitely Confined Absentee Voter due to COVID-19 you will receive an absentee ballot for this election. If you no longer wish to vote this way, you must notify the clerk's office to change your status. All voters listed at [myvote.wi.gov](http://myvote.wi.gov) as Indefinitely Confined will receive a letter prior to the February election.



**The Village Clerk's Office remains closed due to COVID-19 restrictions.** The drop box is working well for the collection of payments, taxes, dog tags, and other items that come to the village clerk. Thank you all for adjusting and working with me.

## 2021 Dog Tag Applications

All dogs residing in the Village of Dane are to be registered by March 31 each year. The application was sent out in the tax bills. They also can be found on the Village website [www.villageofdane.org](http://www.villageofdane.org). A current rabies certificate must be included with the application. A separate check is also required.



## Winter Parking Rules

According to Village Ordinances, Winter Parking begins on November 15 and ends March 15 each year. The rule is NO PARKING on any Village street from 2:00 am to 6:00 am any day of the week. This allows the Public Works Crew to plow and salt the Village streets from curb to curb. Parking tickets are \$25 if your vehicle is on the street. License plates are suspended if tickets are not paid in a timely fashion.

## Please Keep Sidewalks Clear!

Village ordinances require that sidewalks be cleared of snow within 24 hours after precipitation has ended. All sidewalks surrounding your property are your responsibility to keep clear of ice and snow. This may require you use salt or an ice melt product to achieve a clear walkway. Fines will be assessed after a written warning is issued and fines will accumulate each 24 hours that the sidewalk is not cleared. Many walkers in the village count on a safe and clear path to walk on. Remember Delivery Drivers and Postal Service Workers depend on clear sidewalks to get their job done.



Stay well and healthy. Keep social distancing. Wash your hands, wear your mask, and be safe everyone!

