

NEWS & NOTES

Village of Dane

JUNE 2020

Dane Village Board of Trustees

The Village of Dane Board consists of a president and four trustees. The regular meeting is held on the first **Tuesday** of the month; however, holidays and elections may change the meeting night. Meetings begin at 6:30 pm and are held at the Dane Community Center. The Water and Sewer Commission meets immediately following the board meeting. These meetings are open to the public and everyone is welcome to attend. Terms for President and Trustees begin in April and are for two years.

President: Mary Lou Hyatt term expires April 2022
Trustees: Nancy Lindow term expires April 2022
Donald Postler term expires April 2022
Don Lord term expires April 2021
Sara Grade term expires April 2021

DO I NEED A BUILDING PERMIT?

Best practice is to check and be sure before you start any project. Building Permits are required for many types of building repairs or new construction work. Driveways, fences, siding, furnace replacement, water heaters, sunrooms, decks, and basement finishing, or remodeling all require a building permit. Know before you start your project! Check village ordinances online at the village website or call the Clerk's office for assistance.



FIREWORKS ARE ILLEGAL IN THE VILLAGE!

The use of illegal fireworks has become a big concern in the last couple of years in the village. The Village Ordinance Chapter 298 covers this topic completely. If you do not have a permit that was

obtained from the village of Dane Board of Trustees, you are not allowed to use Fireworks. If you are not one of the types of groups able to obtain a permit, do not light up, shoot off or plan to use any kind of fireworks this summer. Citations will be issued. Parents of children under 18 years of age are responsible for any illegal activity. Thank you for your concern for safety in the Village of Dane.



2020 DANE FIREFIGHTER'S FESTIVAL CANCELLED

HOUSEKEEPING NOTES AND REMINDERS!

- ✓ **When doing any type of landscaping and you are having items delivered to your property, please make sure that the items are deposited onto your personal property and not in the road.**
- ✓ **Please be aware that when the weather is extra windy, trash will more than likely be blowing around. The trash driver cannot go onto your property to pick up loose trash.**
- ✓ **Need a new trash bin or recycling bin? Just call the number on the side of your bin and request a new one.**
- ✓ **Remember that your yard needs to be picked up and clear of debris such as junk vehicles and appliances. See the Property Maintenance ordinance §408-10 on our website.**

SINGLE STREAM RECYCLING

With carted curbside recycling collection all items can be placed loose and separately in your cart. It is especially important that you do not place plastic bags or plastic food wrap in with your recycling items. Plastic bags cause a significant problem for most processing facilities in Wisconsin. Plastic grocery bags can be taken to designated retail drop-off locations around the area.



The Bookmobile is back on the road!

Beginning June 1, the Bookmobile will be back on the road for holds pickup and returns. The Bookmobile will have an abbreviated schedule, so check us out at www.dcls.info. Visit www.dcls.info for our schedule, placing holds and contacting us with requests. We miss you and look forward to seeing you again!



CHECKOUT THE BACKSIDE FOR NEWS FROM THE PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT

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Public Works Department



DID YOU KNOW?

- Our Public Works Department has two employees
 - Shane Clapper – Public Works Director
 - Chad Bevars – Public Works Department

- The Village of Dane operates a composting site at the Public Works Facility located at 201 Snyder Drive.



The last pile to the East (left if you are looking at it from the drive) is available free of charge to take for any resident that would like to use it.

The pile all the way to the West (right) is for biodegradable materials.

Please do not dump on or remove product from the center pile.

It is important not to throw plastics as well as other non-biodegradable materials in the pile as this will result in poor end product for yourselves and your fellow residents.

- Mow your grass, but do not blow it into the street!! This is an ordinance violation and citations can be issued. Plus, the loose grass clogs the storm water system and causes a hazard in the street! Think Safety First!!



It is JUNE! Relax; enjoy the sunshine, and the long days of summer!!



- Our Public Works Department does many jobs around the Village, some more visible than others. They were the ones who hung the flags recently and they are constantly monitoring our water and sewer systems to ensure they run as efficiently as possible.



- **WHAT IS “LAKE MELVIN”?**



Lake Melvin is an integral part of the storm water system for the village. This requires the Public Works department to do regular maintenance on

this “lake” which includes draining and dredging. Draining down this retention pond will help support stormwater system drainage during heavy rain events as well as snow melt.

- The Public Works Department is looking for up to four village residents to become part of a **NEW** committee: Parks and Recreation, which will be chaired by Chad Bevars. If you are interested in becoming part of this committee, please send a letter (P.O. Box 168, Dane, WI) or email of interest to the Clerk’s office.
clerktreasurer@villageofdane.org or
deputyclerk@villageofdane.org