

Winfield News

This newsletter is for all Town of Winfield residents and residential property owners.

It contains recycling information and the latest in town news.

December 2021

Letter from the Chairperson

As the current year ends and the new year begins, we are looking to continue work on township roads. Plans are to do ditching and brushing where needed, and plan for road work in the summer. Sauk County will continue to do our mowing, patching, and snow plowing. We look forward to a productive, safe, and healthy 2022. If anyone has any questions or concerns, please contact me at 608-963-7073.

Kurt Mead, Chairperson

Building in the Floodplain

There are parcels in the southwest corner of the township that are in the floodplain area. Sauk County has a Floodplain Zoning Ordinance that requires a land use permit for some types of work done on these parcels. Types of work may include rehabilitation or remodeling of a building, building additions, foundation work, etc. Please contact Brian Simmert at the Sauk County Land Resources and Environment Department to find out if you need a land use permit (608-355-3245).

The Numbers

Estimated Winfield Population: 886 Estimated Number of Voting Age: 679 Number of Registered Voters: 575

Supervisory Wards

Every ten years we go through re-districting for Sauk County's supervisory districts. For the last 20 years, Winfield has been in two county supervisory districts. The biggest impact this has had on us, is our election process. Because we had two county supervisory districts, we had two wards. The county and town approved the new county supervisory districts. The Town of Winfield is now in one county supervisory district; therefore, we only have one ward! This will mean less work for our election workers! Effective 2022, Winfield will be in county Supervisory District #3. Part of the Town of Dellona is also in this district. The current county board supervisor for this district is Lynn Eberl.

Plan Commission

Current Plan Commission members include: Chairman Brad Schyvinck Secretary Jeremy Schyvinck Jerry Dorow Abbe Thompson Scott Wafle Town Board Rep Jeremy Schyvinck

Bass Road Bridge

The town has applied for bridge aid to replace the Bass Road Bridge in 2023 or 2024.

Town Board Meetings

The town board meets on the third Tuesday of every month at 7 p.m. at the town hall. Everyone is welcome to attend.

Dog Licenses

The town treasurer issues dog licenses. You may use the form found later in this newsletter. If you get a dog from the Sauk County Humane Society, they may also issue you a dog license.

Building Permit Information

If you plan to build a new agricultural building, contact Kurt Mead for a permit at 608-963-7073.

If you plan to add an addition to your house, build a new house, build any building, or build a non-ag fence, please inform Kurt Mead 608-963-7073.

If you plan to install or change a driveway, please contact the town clerk at 608-524-6654.

Town Web Site

On the town's web site, you can find meeting agendas and minutes, a calendar, forms, and ordinances.

Town Web Site: www.townofwinfieldwi.com

You can also like us on Facebook!

Election Dates

2/15/22	spring primary
4/5/22	spring election
8/9/22	primary
11/8/22	general election

Recycling & Garbage Update

Peterson Sanitation sold part of its business to Lakeshore Recycling Systems (LRS), a company based in Illinois. LRS also owns Clark Disposal, Inc. based in Mauston. Clark Disposal is our current contractor. Our garbage and recycling is hauled to the Adams County Landfill in Friendship.

Please see the enclosed calendar and instructions.

Cost: \$160.44 per year (added to your tax bill).

Contact Number for Customer Service: 608-580-0580.

Pick Up Day: Garbage every Tuesday. Recyclables every other Tuesday.

Exceptions: Please note that due to the holidays, our pick up day may occasionally be a Wednesday. In 2022, these Wednesdays are: 6/1/22, 7/6/22, and 9/7/22.

Recycling Tons Collected

With the use of the new toters last year, our recycling tons have increased! In the first half of 2020, we had 20 tons of recyclables and 254 tons of garbage. With the use of our new toters, we had 32 tons of recycables the first half of 2021, and 145 tons of garbage. Way to go, Winfield!!!

Election Info

Polling Place & Poll Hours - The polling place is the Winfield Town Hall at the intersection of County Roads K and F just north of Reedsburg (S1992 County Road K). The polls are open from 7 a.m. to 8 p.m.

Voter Web Site - Wisconsin has a voter web site called My Vote Wisconsin. Voters can look up their registration status, voting history, polling place location, the district assignments, and office holders in those districts. Voters can also complete an absentee ballot form from this web site and register to vote. Check out this web site: http://myvote.wi.gov.

Road Upkeep

Willow Creek Road \$25,874 Churchill Road \$125,404 Pine Rock Road \$6,387 Road Maintenance \$59,562 Snow Plowing \$56,704 Brushing \$32,746 Mowing \$18,482 Emergency Tree Removal \$1,350

Culverts

Property owners are reminded that the culverts on their property are their own responsibility to keep clear so water can freely run through them.

Town of Winfield Contacts

Chairperson Kurt Mead	608-963-7073	
Supervisor I Jerry Moll	608-963-5992	
Supervisor II Jeremy Schyvinck	608-963-3450	
Treasurer Robin Craker	608-524-6261	
Clerk Teresa Bass	608-524-6654	
Assessor Holloway Appraisal	608-374-4207	
Building Notification:	608-963-7073	
Kurt Mead		
UDC Inspector: Peter Giese,	608-697-7778	
General Engineering Company		



Waste Oil Disposal

Dispose your waste oil at these locations:

- 1. Sauk County Highway Department, 620 State Road 136, Baraboo, 608-355-4856
- 2. Hartje's Home and Tire Center, S1448 State Road 33, LaValle, 608-985-8124
- 3. Midway Oil, 751 Phillips Boulevard, Sauk City, 608-643-3927
- 4. Kruse Motor Sales, 515 Broadway Street, Baraboo, 608-356-4919
- 5. O'Reilly Auto Parts, 2100 East Main Street, Reedsburg, 608-768-7070

Latex Paint Disposal

Latex paint is water based and not a hazardous waste material. You can put the latex paint in your trash; however, it must be solidified before throwing it away. To dry latex paint, open the can and let the paint dry in the can. To speed up the process, you can mix in kitty litter or sawdust. When the paint is solid, toss in the trash.

An empty metal can that is free of rust and rinsed free of any paint, can be recycled. The lid goes in the trash.

Rusty metal cans, cans with paint, and plastic paint containers go in the trash.

Please read the letter that came along with this newsletter. We would like your input on the town's comprehensive plan.

Thank you.