

2019 NEWSLETTER



Town Board Members

Chairman, Kevin Emrath 699-1900
Supervisor, Scott Sukow 699-5661
Supervisor, Dale Weis 988-4457
Treasurer, Bernice Sukow 699-2453
Clerk, Tami Latsch 699-2372

Town Hall – 699-2348, Town Hall Fax – 699-5027
Email: farmington@tds.net
Website: www.townoffarmington.org

Meetings

Monthly Town Board Meetings are generally held the second Monday of the month
at the Town Hall at 7:00 p.m.

Plan Commission Meetings are generally held the last Tuesday of the month
at the Town Hall at 7:30 p.m.

Notices are published in the Watertown Daily Times and are posted at the Town Hall,
Farmington Inn, Farmington Baseball Complex and Premier Bank - Johnson Creek
BP/Ron's Korner - Helenville

GARBAGE & RUBBISH COLLECTION

WASTE MANAGEMENT

1-877-969-2783 or 1-888-964-9737

ADVANCED DISPOSAL (formerly Veolia)

1215 Klement Street
Fort Atkinson, WI 53538 (920) 563-4505

JOHNS DISPOSAL SERVICE

107 Hwy U, Whitewater, WI 53190 (262) 473-4700

BADGERLAND DISPOSAL

265 N. Janesville St
Milton, WI 53563 (608) 580-0580

JEFFERSON COUNTY SHERIFF'S DEPARTMENT

Before beginning an open burn, you must contact
Jefferson County Sheriff Department as listed below:

Non-emergency number- (920) 674-7310

It is no longer necessary to contact a board member.

Remember your ID for Voting!

FARMINGTON BASEBALL ASSOCIATION NEWS

Farmington Baseball is a non-profit Association, made up of a volunteer Board of Directors, which owns, operates and maintains the park which is located on the southwest corner on Hwy B and Hwy D. Our focus is on teaching the rules and fundamentals of baseball and softball as well as promoting good sportsmanship, teamwork, community involvement and participation.

2019 was another great year for Farmington Baseball U.A. with over 150 kids playing baseball and softball and our home talent level was back this year in the Rock River League and a great group of volunteers and parents that kept the park going during the summer.

This year Farmington was represented in youth baseball and softball with 13 teams again. It was a very successful year on the field. Farmington Baseball prides itself in not only being competitive on the field, but allowing any youth that would like give baseball or softball a try and opportunity to do so. Nobody is turned away due to skill level or for any other reason. It is our goal to give everyone the same opportunity to get out, play ball and have some fun.

That being said, it takes a considerable amount of awesome people to keep the organization viable and strong. All of this is done on a volunteer basis and with donations. We continue to care for the park, make improvements and have project goals for the future. This year we purchased a commercial grade lawn mower at employee pricing from Schiller Grounds Care Inc. (It is awesome). We additionally got an L.E.D. road sign donated and installed by Dale Weis. It is awesome! Thanks so much Dale! Highway Light – Greg Melcher ran and installed the power for the sign, Thanks Highway Light! We have received many positive comments about the LED sign.

We would like to thank the Township of Farmington for all of their support. We love to see people at the park enjoying activities and the company of friends and neighbors. We see the parking lot on the corner being used regularly as a park and ride. We see the new playground being use regularly by community members. The park has been used for Family picnics, graduations and Family reunions, all of that in addition to baseball and softball.

Thanks so much to the community leaders and people of the Township of Farmington!!

Sign up will begin in February 2020!! If you have any questions, or can help us out in any way by donating time or money, please see website: www.farmingtonbaseballua.com

2020 ELECTION INFORMATION

www.elections.wi.gov

www.mvvote.wi.gov

COMMUNITY HUMANE SHELTER

Contact a Town Board Member for any unknown animal(s) running at large.

ANNUAL MEETING OF ELECTORS

The 2020 Farmington Annual Meeting of Electors will be held on Wednesday, April 15, 2020 at 7:00 p.m.

ORDINANCES

Copies of ordinances can be received by written request, telephone or emailed to the Town Clerk.

Email address: farmington@tds.net

PERMITS AND LAND USE SPLIT FEES

Contact Jefferson County Zoning Department at (920) 674-7130.

The Town's Building Inspector is GREG NOLL. If you have any questions call (920) 675-9062.

Driveway permits need to be approved by the Town Board, an application and \$100.00 fee required. Contact Clerk for an application.

Land Splits need to be approved by Plan Commission and Town Board. Contact Clerk to be placed on agenda. An application fee of \$100.00 per split needs to be submitted to the Town of Farmington.

Assessment Questions contact Associated Appraisal Consultants at 1-800-721-4157 or email at info@apraz.com or go to website at www.apraz.com

FIRE SIGNS OR ROAD SIGNS

Anyone that is missing their fire sign or notice a road sign damaged or down please contact Town Foreman-Jim Baneck at (920)650-6758 or a Town Board Member.

DRIVEWAY CLEARANCE

All Town residents please be aware that your driveway needs to be clear for emergency vehicles, such as EMS and Fire Trucks.

SNOW REMOVAL IN ROAD RIGHT-OF-WAY

For public safety concerns **please do not push snow from a private driveway into the roadway or into the road ditches.** This violates Wisconsin Statutes 88.01, 86.07, 346.94 or 941.30. A citation will be issued who violates.

It's for your safety and others.

WELCOME SENIORS

At the Town Hall Seniors meet the 3rd Thursday of the month at 12:00p.m. with potluck during the months of September – April. Fellowship and playing cards. No gatherings during the summer months (May – August).

*****NOTICE TO DOG OWNERS*****

According to Wisconsin State Statutes, all dogs MUST be licensed and have a rabies shot. Proof of immunization by a veterinarian must be presented to the treasurer at the time of obtaining a license. Dog licenses will not be issued without such proof.

A new license is required for each dog every year and is to be obtained by April 1st.
After April 1st, an additional charge of \$5.00 will be made for each delinquent dog license issued.

License fees \$10.00 for each male and female dog over the age of five (5) months, \$5.00 for each spayed or neutered dog, all fees payable at the time of application for license. Kennel licenses are \$35.00.

Anyone having more than 4 dogs on their property needs to apply for a kennel license.

A self-addressed, stamped envelope must be submitted with application made by mail for return of the immunization certificate and license.

Property owners not living on the tax premise should notify renters of dog license requirements.

If you have a problem with a dog, or any animal, please call a Town Board Member. Please fill out below

APPLICATION FOR DOG LICENSE(S)

Name _____
Address _____
City _____
Phone Number () _____

Make checks payable to: Town of Farmington, Treasurer
Bernice Sukow
W2804 Cty. Hwy B
Watertown, WI 53094

Dog Breed	Color	Name	Male	Neutered Male	Female	Spayed Female	License Fee

PLEASE BE SURE THAT EACH DOG HAS LICENSE TAG ON DOG COLLAR

Wisconsin law requires property taxes to be paid by the following dates:

First Installment.....January 31, 2020

Full payments.....January 31, 2020

All personal property taxes, special assessments, special charges and special taxes are to be paid

IN FULL by January 31, 2020

Delinquent payments will result in interest and penalty charges. If you have questions about your tax bill, contact: Town Treasurer, Bernice Sukow (920) 699-2453

TAX COLLECTION DATES-At the Town Hall, N6468 S. Farmington Road, Watertown

December 28, 2019 - 9:00 a.m.- 12:00 p.m.

December 30, 2019 - 6:00 p.m.- 9:00 p.m.

January 25, 2020 - 9:00 a.m.- 12:00 p.m.

January 29, 2020 - 6:00 p.m.- 9:00 p.m.

January 31, 2020 - 10:00 a.m.- 6:00 p.m.

NO CASH OVER \$10.00 WILL BE ACCEPTED

If making payment by mail, you must include a self-addressed stamped envelope for your receipt.

Pay to: Town of Farmington

Bernice Sukow, Treasurer

W2804 CTH B

Watertown, WI 53094

(Payment must be postmarked by 1-31-20)

PLEASE DO NOT BURN PLASTIC IN BURNING BARRELS
OPEN BURN REQUIREMENTS: BEFORE beginning an open burn, you must notify the Jefferson County Sheriff Department non-emergency number (920) 674-7310

The Green Box and Recycling Site is open every 2nd and 4th Saturday of the month from 8:00a.m. - 12:00p.m. (noon) Located: 1 mile west of Switzke Road on Ranch Road. NO DUMPING DURING CLOSED HOURS! VIOLATORS WILL BE FINED!

Effective 1/1/2017

NOTICE TO BUSINESSES AND RESIDENTS IN THE TOWN OF FARMINGTON

Wisconsin State Law requires that 25% of your solid waste be recycled. If you are not separating your trash for recycling, **START NOW!**

ITEMS TO RECYCLE INCLUDE: Clean glass bottles and jars with rings and caps off; Clean in cans with labels off; Clean #1 - #7 plastic bottles and jars; Newspapers, magazines, catalogs and other materials on similar paper separated, bundled and tied or bagged securely; Corrugated cardboard flattened; Large and small electric tools, appliances, electrical wiring and extension cords; All tin, iron and other bi-metals; Aluminum containers/cans; Lead batteries; Waste oil and used oil filters.

YARD WASTE like grass clippings, brush under 6" in diameter and leaves should be composted at home.

REMEMBER, THESE ITEMS ARE BANNED FROM LANDFILLS

FEES FOR GREEN BOX: \$5.00 – 3 Bags or 1 Barrel
(If you have more you will be charged more by operator)

\$15.00 – couch, oversized chair and ALL major appliances such as, stove/oven, water heater, washer, dryer, dishwasher, water softener, water heater, humidifier, microwave.

\$15.00 – Mattress, bedspring, carpeting (carpet can be donated to Y's Way in Watertown)

\$25.00 – All TV's and Computer monitors

\$25.00 – ALL refrigeration units such as, freezer, refrigerator, air conditioner, dehumidifier

\$5.00 per tire – automobile with rims off

\$3.00 per electronic item such as, Computers(desktop, laptop or tablet), keyboards, scanners, speakers, printers, DVD/VCR players, fax machines or other items that plug into a computer.

Town residents using the Green Box site should have recyclable items clean and separated from trash - **before arrival.**

All containers (glass, plastic, in cans) should be triple rinsed

Town residents with private pick-up service **must** have recyclables separated from trash. Waste haulers that service the Town are: Waste Management, Advanced Disposal, Johns Disposal and Badgerland Disposal.

LANDLORDS IN THE TOWN SHOULD INFORM THEIR TENANTS OF THE RECYCLING REQUIREMENTS