# **2025 NEWSLETTER**



## **Town Board Members**

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## **Meetings**

Town Board Meetings are generally held the second Monday of the month at the Town Hall @ 7 p.m. Plan Commission Meetings are generally held the last Tuesday of the month at the Town Hall @ 7 p.m. Notices are published in the Watertown Daily Times and are posted at the Town Hall, Farmington Inn, Farmington Baseball Complex and Ron's BP Market.

## **Garbage & Rubbish Collection**

<u>WASTE MANAGEMENT</u> (877) 969-2783 OR (888) 964-9737 <u>GFL ENVIRONMENTAL -FORT ATKINSON</u> (888)895-8696

### JEFFERSON COUNTY SHERIFF'S DEPARTMENT

Before beginning an open burn, please contact: Jefferson County Sheriff's Department – NOT notifying the Sheriff the Town will fine residents for uncontrolled burns. NON-EMERGENCY NUMBER 920-674-7310 JOHNS DISPOSAL SERVICE (262) 473-4700 BADGERLAND DISPOSAL (608) 580-0580

Remember Your ID for Voting!

#### FARMINGTON BASEBALL ASSOCIATION NEWS

Farmington Baseball is a non-profit association, made up of a volunteer board of directors. The association owns, operates and maintains the park which is located on the southwest corner of Hwy B and Hwy D. We are a recreational organization. No players are turned away. We accept all skill levels. Our focus is on teaching the rules and fundamentals of baseball and softball as well as promoting good sportsmanship, teamwork, community involvement and participation. 2024 we had 119 players that gave us 12 teams. Kids can start playing as early as 4 years old. For youth baseball we had (2) teeball, (2) jr pee wee, (2) pee wee, (1) little league, (1) pony. For youth softball we had 1 each at U10, U12 and U14. We also had a team in the Rock River League. We got 3 nice aluminum bleacher sections donated by the Floyd Sukow Family. We also had a metal bleacher donated by Wallace sawmill. And a bench donated by the Roth Family. All very nice and appreciated! As always we are working on the park and making improvements. We are looking to replace the backstop on the big diamond and possibly get lighting for the big diamond. Also, as always we appreciate all the volunteers that make this all happen throughout the season and the whole year.

Thank You!

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

Sign up will begin in February 2025. If you have any questions or can help us out in any way by donating time, money or product, please see our website. www.farmingtonflames.org

#### **COMMUNITY HUMANE SHELTER**

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

#### **ORDINANCES**

Copies of ordinances can be received by written request, telephone or emailed to the Town Clerk. Email address: farmington@tds.net

#### ANNUAL MEETING OF ELECTORS

The 2025 Town of Farmington Annual Meeting of Electors will be held on **Tuesday, April 15, 2025 at 7:00 p.m.** 

#### **2025 ELECTION INFORMATION**

www.elections.wi.gov www.myvote.wi.gov

Elections for 2025 April 1, 2025

#### PERMITS AND LAND USE SPLIT FEES

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

The Town's Building Inspector is John Moosreiner at Wisconsin Inspection Agency LLC Contact number: 262-490-0277 or Email: jmmoosreiner@gmail.com

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 <u>info@apraz.com</u> or go to website at <u>www.apraz.com</u>

#### 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 right-a-way 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.

#### **ROAD RIGHT-A-WAY**

Town residents paving or cementing driveways to roadway. If driveway becomes damaged at end by road Town is not liable due to the road right-a-way.

#### WELCOME SENIORS

At the Town Hall Seniors meet the 3<sup>rd</sup> Thursdayof 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).

#### HALL RENTAL

The Town Hall is available for rent to Town residents. Please contact Town Treasurer at 920-699-2165 or email: farmingtontreas@tds.net TAX COLLECTION DATES - At the Town Hall, N6468 S. Farmington Road, Watertown

Thursday, December 19, 2024 -Thursday, December 26, 2024 -Saturday, January 18, 2025 -Wednesday, January 22, 2025 -Saturday, January 25, 2025 - 3:00 p.m.- 7:00p.m. 3:00 p.m.- 7:00p.m. 9:00 a.m.- 12:00 p.m. 3:00 p.m.- 7:00 p.m. 9:00 a.m.- 12:00 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

Denise Nelson, Ťreasurer N7005 Waldmann Lane Watertown, WI 53094 (Payment must be postmarked by 1-31-25)

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

First Installment.....January 31, 2025

Full payments.....January 31, 2025

All personal property taxes, special assessments, special charges and special taxes are to be paid **IN FULL by January 31, 2025** 

Delinquent payments will result in interest and penalty charges. If you have questions about your tax bill, contact: Town Treasurer, Denise Nelson (920) 699-2165

#### \*\*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.

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

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 <u>self-addressed</u>, <u>stamped envelope</u> 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\_\_\_\_\_\_ Make checks payable to: Address\_\_\_\_\_\_ City\_\_\_\_\_ Phone Number (\_\_\_)

Town of Farmington, Treasurer Denise Nelson N7005 Waldmann Lane 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



### 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 Rd on Ranch Rd NO DUMPING DURING CLOSED HOURS! VIOLATORS WILL BE FINED!

Effective 1/1/2017

## NOTICE TO BUSINESSES AND RESIDENTS INTHE 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. <u>YARD WASTE</u> like grass clippings, brush under 6" in diameter and leaves should be composted at home.

## REMEMBER, THESE ITEMS ARE BANNED FROM LANDFILLS

## <u>FEES FOR GREEN BOX: \$5.00 – 3 Bags or 1 Barrel</u> (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)

\$35.00 – All TV's and Computer monitors

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

\$8.00 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 <u>must</u> have recyclables separated from trash. Waste haulers that service the Town are: Waste Management, GFL Environmental, Johns Disposal and Badgerland Disposal.

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