



# THE COMMUNITY INFORMER

## ATTENTION DOG AND CAT OWNERS

*Dogs are required by state law* to have a rabies vaccination (after 5 months of age) **and** a license. In addition, cats are required by the Village to be licensed. Licenses are available at the Village Hall. The cost is:

\$ 10.00-spayed and neutered  
\$15.00-nonspayed/unneutered  
\$ 5.00-late fee after 3/30/07

A Proof of Rabies vaccination **MUST** be presented when applying for a license either at the Village Hall or mailed with payment and a self-addressed stamped envelope to: Village Hall, P.O. Box 66, Deerfield, WI 53531. Licenses for 2007 must be obtained prior to March 30 to avoid a late charge.

## PLEASE DON'T ALLOW DOGS AND CATS TO RUN AT LARGE!

The Village of Deerfield has a three-dog per household limit; however, only two dogs may be outside at the same time. All pet owners must remove feces from public and private property to maintain healthy conditions.

## MADISON – DANE COUNTY CLEAN SWEEP

2007 Hours:  
Tuesday, Wednesday, Friday and Saturday  
7:30 a.m. – 2:00 p.m. May 1 – October 31

Location:  
Dane County highway Garage  
2302 Fish Hatchery Rd (north end) corner of  
Fish Hatchery and Badger Roads

Brochures are available at the Village Hall.

## LEAF / COMPOST PICKUP

The Village will be picking up leaves and compost on Mondays starting April 16<sup>th</sup> and continuing through May 29<sup>th</sup>. Items should not be bagged but separated into two piles, one being the leaves and the other woody vegetation, such as tomato plants, ect. No large sticks or branches please. The Village will NOT pick-up lawn clippings. Village residence may dispose of their clippings by taking them to the landfill, which is located at 733 London Road.

## PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

I would like to thank the residents of the Village of Deerfield for electing me to the position of Village President. I look forward to working with other Board members and Deerfield residents to improve the Village. I will try to make myself very accessible to anyone with problems or concerns. I also encourage the public to attend committee and board meetings to express concerns.

There are many projects underway in our village presently. A few of the major ones are:

- 1) The Fire Station/EMS addition is almost completed. Trustee Greg Frutiger and members of the Deerfield Fire Department donated both materials and many hours of labor to increase the quality of the addition.
- 2) The joint EMS is reorganizing. A new director has been hired and he has instituted changes to improve the response time to village residents. (Emergency response personnel have moved into the new Fire Station/EMS addition).
- 3) We are currently working on a long-term contract with Dane County for shared police service with the Village of Cambridge.
- 4) There is a special meeting on May 21, 2007 to discuss the long-term land use of Fireman's Park. For more information, please contact the village hall.
- 5) TID funding is being discussed to assist downtown, renovations and street improvements.
- 6) Walt Olson's Drumlin Hills subdivision, to the east of Community Park, is moving forward with construction beginning this spring.

New projects in the Village include:

- 1) Development of the Nelson Farm across from the elementary school on Liberty Street.
- 2) Expansion of TID #3 to allow for additional commercial development in the downtown area.
- 3) Construction of a new well.
- 4) Street reconstruction and sidewalk improvements in the downtown area.
- 5) Possible creation of a new TID on the South side of the Village to assist in the possible construction of a new grocery store.

Financial goals of the Village Board include the development of a 5-year capital improvement plan decreasing the village debt and an attempt to decrease monthly utility bills.

I wish to thank Arnie Evensen for his many years of service to the Village.

John Mathews, Village President

## DEERFIELD CHAMBER OF COMMERCE

- Deerfield-Wide Garage Sale Days, June 8<sup>th</sup> & 9<sup>th</sup>

If you have any questions you may contact Kristin Wild at Wild Company Realtors 764-8500.

Visit the Chamber's web-site at [www.Deerfield-Chamber.com](http://www.Deerfield-Chamber.com)

## DEERFIELD COMMUNITY CENTER (DCC)

For Youth and Senior activities, contact the Deerfield Community Center at 764-5935.

## DEERFIELD FIRE DEPARTMENT

- Spring Dance with Kickball Tournament June 2, 2007
- Fireman's Festival July 6<sup>th</sup>, 7<sup>th</sup> & 8<sup>th</sup>

If you have any questions regarding these items, please contact the Fire Department at 764-5434.

## TREE AND BRUSH PICKUP

Tree and brush pick-up is on the second and fourth Thursday of each month.

Call John Doyle at 608-764-5497 with questions.

## FIRE & EMS

Anyone interested in becoming a volunteer Fireman or serve on the EMS staff should contact the Deerfield Fire Department at 764-5343

## VILLAGE MEETINGS

Visit the Village Web Site Calendar for all scheduled meetings.

## SPECIAL GARBAGE AND RECYCLING PICKUP

During the week of the following Holidays, garbage and recycling will be picked up on *Friday* instead of Thursday:

Memorial Day  
4<sup>th</sup> of July  
Labor Day  
Thanksgiving  
Christmas  
New Year's Day

## Village Trustees

John Mathews, Village President-----215-5523  
Mary Chadwick-Kiefer-----764-8367  
Paul Haag-----764.8725  
Greg Frutiger-----764-5505  
Greg Searle-----764-8789  
Diane Wilkinson-----764-5205  
Dalton Schreiber-----764-8702

## Village Departments

Village Hall-----764-5404  
Hours : 7:15 a.m. - 4:30 p.m. M - F  
Web Site : [www.deerfieldwi.com](http://www.deerfieldwi.com)  
E-Mail : [info@deerfieldwi.com](mailto:info@deerfieldwi.com)

Library-----764-8102  
Hours: Monday 12:00 p.m. - 8:00 p.m.  
Tuesday 9:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.  
Wednesday 9:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.  
Thursday 12:00 p.m. - 8:00 p.m.  
Friday 9:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.  
Saturday 9:00 a.m. - 1:00 p.m.

Public Works-----764-5497  
Sewer Utility-----764-5820  
Water Utility-----764-5497  
Police-----764-5626  
Fire Department-----764-5343  
Veolia-garbage collection-----1-800-248-2373  
Building Inspector-----1-800-422-5220  
Cable Commission-----764-2514

VILLAGE OF DEERFIELD  
4 N. MAIN ST., P.O. BOX 66  
DEERFIELD, WI 53531



## POLICE

### ➤ DEERFIELD BIKE RODEO

On Saturday, May 12, 2007 from 9:00 AM to 12:00 PM the Deerfield Police Department, along with the Deerfield Community Center and Deerfield JFF will host the 4<sup>th</sup> annual Bike Rodeo. The bike rodeo will be held at the Deerfield Elementary School. A bike rodeo is designed to be a fun, educational and hands-on way for children and parents to learn about bike safety. A bike rodeo is a great resource to introduce young bike riders and their parents to necessary skills to operate a bike safely.

This year's bike rodeo participants will receive free bike helmets donated by Habush, Habush and Rottier. They will also receive free t-shirts, goodie bags and a certificate of participation once they have completed the bike rodeo course.

All participants will be served lunch by the Deerfield Joining Forces for Families and there will be new bikes raffled off at the event. The bikes were purchased with donations from local Deerfield businesses. Come and join the fun on May 12, 2007!

If you have any questions, please contact Deputy Heidi Gardner at (608) 423-8076.

### ➤ National Night Out – August 7<sup>th</sup>, from 5:00 pm to 7:00 pm

## DEERFIELD WATER & SEWER UTILITY RATE SCHEDULE AS OF JANUARY 1, 2007

GENERAL WATER SERVICE - METERED: Effective August 01, 2000

Minimum Monthly Charge:

5/8 & 3/4- inch meter - \$ 9.00	1 - inch meter - \$15.00
1 1/2 - inch meter - \$21.75	2 - inch meter - \$33.00
4 - inch meter - \$91.00	

PLUS Volume Charge:

First 10,000 gallons used each month	- \$2.94 per 1,000 gallons
Next 30,000 gallons used each month	- \$2.31 per 1,000 gallons
Over 40,000 gallons used each month	- \$1.80 per 1,000 gallons

**BILLING:** Bills for water service are rendered monthly and become due and payable on the twenty fifth of the month following the period for which service is rendered. A late payment charge of 3% will be added to bills not paid within 20 days of issuance. The late payment charge is applicable to all customers. The utility customer may be given a written notice that the bill is overdue no sooner than 20 days after the bill is issued and unless payment or satisfactory arrangement for payment is made within the 10 days, service may be disconnected pursuant to Chapter PSC 185, Wis. Adm. Code.

GENERAL SEWER SERVICE - METERED: Effective January 1, 2007

Minimum Monthly Charge:

5/8 & 3/4 - inch meter - \$ 24.87	1 - inch meter - \$ 62.18
1 1/2 - inch meter - \$ 99.48	2 - inch meter - \$149.22
4 - inch meter - \$447.66	

PLUS Volume Charge:

For all usage - \$7.22 per 1,000 gallons

PLUS: For Bio-Chemical Oxygen Demand (BODs) over 232 mg/l, an additional charge of \$0.77 per pound of BOD will be imposed.

For Suspended Solids (SS) over 300 mg/l, an additional charge of \$1.24 per pound of suspended solids will be imposed.

GARBAGE - 10.30 Per Month  
RECYCLING - 3.55 Per Month

All questions on any of the water & sewer billings rates or procedures may be directed to the Village Clerk at (608) 764-5404

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