



**May 2021**

Dear Mosinee Resident:

I am happy to bring you this monthly update from the Mayor's Office. As we move into a pleasant spring season, there is a lot happening at City Hall. To start, it is my pleasure to welcome a new member to our Common Council. Mark Gewiss was recently elected to represent Ward 1 on the Common Council. Mark will be a great addition to our local government, and we are pleased to have him join us.

Last month we also held our annual organizational meeting. This meeting allows the Mayor and Council to appoint Council members to committees and citizens to various commissions and boards. I continue to encourage residents interested in being more involved in local government to consider applying for openings. Those interested in learning about our various citizen opportunities and how to apply should contact our City Administrator by calling City Hall.

In other exciting news, the Council approved a contract for the hiring of a new Chief of Police. Chief Kenneth Grams will be sworn in at our May Council meeting. Chief Grams comes to us from Southeastern Wisconsin with a wealth of experience. He is looking forward to becoming a part of Mosinee and serving in his new role.

As we prepare to welcome Chief Grams, we also bid farewell to our friend and long time public servant, Chief Muelling. At our April Council meeting we recognized Chief Muelling and thanked him for his many years of service, the majority of which were spent in Mosinee. Chief Muelling spent nearly 4 decades serving as an officer. He will be missed by all at City Hall, and we wish him an enjoyable retirement.

In other news, construction will finally be underway on the repair of Highway 153 East from the auto parts store past the Central Wisconsin Airport. This section of road was desperately in need of repair. The roadway is under the jurisdiction of the State of Wisconsin and while we had to wait patiently for the project to go forward we thank the Wisconsin DOT for recognizing the need and addressing it this year.

As we approach summer, I hope you and your family find time to enjoy what I hope will be good weather and surely a much better year. With 2020 behind us and life hopefully returning to normal, I encourage you to support local business as much as you can. Like many businesses throughout our country, 2020 was a difficult year and it is important that we support our businesses however and whenever we can.

I look forward to updating you again next month. As always, should you have any questions or comments please do not hesitate to contact me at City Hall.

Mayor Brent Jacobson

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## BOARD OF REVIEW SCHEDULED

- Board of Review – Tuesday, May 18th 3pm to 5pm

Homeowners who would like their property assessment reviewed by our City assessor during the open book period of April 29<sup>th</sup> thru May 17<sup>th</sup> are encouraged to contact our assessor, Accurate Appraisal at 800-770-3927.

If after the Open Book session you wish to contest the assessed value, please call the City Clerk's Office at 715-693-2275 at least 48 hours prior to Board of Review to obtain an "Objection to Real Property Assessment" form and to make an appointment for the Board of Review. This form must be filled out in its entirety. No objections will be heard at the Board of Review without a prior appointment. The Board of Review is scheduled for Tuesday, May 18<sup>th</sup>, 2021 from 3:00p.m. to 5:00p.m. The Board of Review functions like a court in that it is required to evaluate evidence based on facts. You must provide factual information showing your property is incorrectly assessed.

### BUILDING PERMITS ARE REQUIRED FOR THE FOLLOWING PROJECTS:

The following projects require a building permit:

New Single Family House, Duplex, Apartment, Commercial, Manufacturing Building, Additions to existing buildings, Upgrades to electrical / plumbing services, Garages / Sheds, Interior remodeling (new walls, bathroom & kitchen upgrades, finishing basement, etc), Siding, Roof (no charge for permit – permit required), Decks, Patios, Porches, Fences, Swimming Pools (Greater than 18" deep), Driveways, Moving buildings into/thru City.

Visit the Building Permits section of our City website: [www.mosinee.wi.us](http://www.mosinee.wi.us), call City Hall @ 715-693-2275 or stop at City Hall for more information.

### YARD WASTE DISPOSAL SITE

The City of Mosinee Yard Waste site is open. The Yard Waste site is located at 202 Fremont Street near Chuck's Boat Landing. Please only use this site for dropping off: Leaves, Grass Clippings, Hedge Trimmings, Pine Needles, Garden Refuse, etc.

Please do not drop off the following at this site: Brush, Tree limbs, Christmas trees, Stumps, or any other garbage.