

FALL LEAF COLLECTION SCHEDULE

Leaf collection this year will again be accomplished by baling of the leaves/pine needles that are placed in the street. The City will be contracting with a custom baler to collect the leaves/pine needles. Baled leaves will then be hauled away by the Public Works Dept.

Leaf collection will begin on November 1st. Residents who want their leaves picked up must have them raked into the gutter or onto the street by 7:00am on November 1st. Public Works staff will not rake leaves out of ditches or off the curb for pickup. For the equipment to do the best job of leaf collection rake leaves away from the curb approximately 1-2 feet. Leaves that are on the street will be picked up. Baling operations are scheduled to be completed in 2 days. The City's street sweeper will clean up any remaining leaves after baling is finished. Please keep in mind that street sweeping is a slower process, so it may be a couple of days after baling before the streets are swept.

Leaf collection will only be done once. <u>Do not place any leaves on the street after the collection equipment has passed.</u> Any leaves remaining after the collection equipment has passed can be disposed of at the yard waste site on Fremont St.

DO NOT deposit rocks, sticks, brush or garden waste in the leaf piles as these items will damage the leaf collection equipment. Any leaf piles found that contain these materials will not be picked up.

Leaves and other yard waste may also be disposed of at the Yard Waste site on Fremont Street. Residents are reminded that brush is <u>NOT ALLOWED</u> at the yard waste site. Brush will not be picked up for persons clearing lots. Brush is picked up the week of the third Monday of each month. If you deposit brush, stumps, trees or other unacceptable garbage at the yard waste site you will be subject to fines. If you have brush for disposal call the Public Works Dept. at 715-693-3840 and leave your name and address.

Mayor Brent Jacobson 792 Fairway Dr 715-693-2275 Alderperson: Mark Gewiss Ward 1 & 8 302 4th St 715-693-4055 Alderperson: Nelson Pasha Jr. Ward 2 1023 Western Ave 715-571-0779 Alderperson: Robert Stephens Ward 3 615 Oak Park Cir 715-297-0053 Alderperson: Tom Helbach Ward 4 715-693-3072 Alderperson: Peter Nievinski Ward 5 1209 Edgewood Dr 715-693-6142 Alderperson: Doug Mielke Ward 6 & 7 1026 Old Hwy 51 715-693-2609 City Hall 225 Main Street 715-693-2275 8:00am-4:30pm Monday-Frida



Halloween Hours - October 31st - 4:00p.m. to 7:00p.m.



October 2022

Dear Mosinee Resident:

I am taking this opportunity to provide you with an update from the Mayor's Office and City Hall. With fall in full swing, staff and the City Council are starting to plan for the 2023 City Budget.

Budget workshops are already underway with our first session occurring on October 4th. In my last monthly update, I provided the full budget schedule. In case you missed it, there will be further budget meetings on the following dates and times at City Hall:

Budget Work Session #2 (public input session) on October 24, 2022 at 6:00 p.m.;

Budget Work Session #3 on November 7, 2022 at 6:00 p.m.; and

A public hearing for approval of the 2023 Budget on November 28, 2022 at 6:00 p.m.

Our budget work sessions are an opportunity to review anticipated revenues and expenses as well as potential capital projects. As always, I encourage residents to attend and provide the Common Council with input on the budget. When the budget is passed, the Common Council will also approve the property tax levy necessary to meet budgeted items.

This year we will be taking many things into consideration in an effort to pass a budget that balances various needs while attempting to maintain a tax levy that is reasonable. We have multiple requests for personnel additions and capital purchases that will need to be balanced against available resources. Passing a budget under the current constraints we operate in is always a challenge, and your input is much appreciated and valued.

In other news, I recently had the opportunity to tour the state of construction at the up-and-coming hotel in downtown Mosinee. Construction of the 54-unit, 4 story Cobblestone Hotel is progressing at a steady pace with an opening anticipated at some point in the first half of next year.

In September, the Council also approved a final plat for a new subdivision off of Stoneridge Drive and Fairway Drive near Indianhead Golf Course. The new subdivision will offer several new single-family residential homes to the City. Despite our relatively land-locked nature, the City has seen a steady addition of single-family and multi-family housing over the past several years with our rate of population growth outpacing that of Wisconsin as a whole and Marathon County.

In my September update I took the opportunity to thank the Wisconsin DOT for a successful completion of the repaving project from the Wisconsin River bridge to the western boundary of the City as well as residents and businesses along this project for their patience throughout construction. Shortly after completion of this project, the City was able to also complete repaving of Rangeline Road from Main Street to Western Avenue. In 2024, the City anticipates repaving Main Street from 4th Street to Rangeline Road.

I look forward to updating you next month on the budget progress and other matters.

Sincerely,

Mayor Brent Jacobson