



SPRING 2018

works for you!

Mayor's Message - Robert B. Mielke

Is it finally SPRING yet? Judging by the weather that we received in early April, I think that we all wonder...Ah, the "joys" of living in North Central Wisconsin! I for one have honestly had enough of shoveling/blowing snow and of being cold and even "moody" from a long winter.



But on a more positive note, daylight is getting longer, residents are out and about and the weather is warming up (snow is melting!) It is very nice to see. The quality of life here is really part of enjoying and appreciating the nice weather we receive here. Spring has arrived and it is "BRIGHT" in Wausau!

Local elections were held on April 3rd and I welcome the elected members (both old and new) of the Wausau City Council to their positions. The previous two years were among the most positive and productive that the Wausau City Council ever had! I congratulate this past City Council on their success in moving projects forward, our record growth in the city is directly tied to the Council's ability to work together. As Mayor, I have heard from many residents, business and community leaders who have thanked us for having the courage and positive attitude in moving our community forward. I am excited about this new Council and look forward to continuing the same excellent, honest, civil, transparent and respectful relations with all of them.

In late March, I was pleased to welcome the Secretary and CEO of the Wisconsin Economic Development Corporation (WEDC), Mr. Mark Hogan as we received the "Ready-Site" certification of the Wausau Business Campus Expansion area, which is a rare occurrence in Wisconsin. I am proud that we are continuing the City's investment establishing and expanding the Business Campus. By doing this, it has set a foundation for the expansion of many local businesses, both large and small.

This past winter, employees in our Inspections Department, Ms. Denise Pody and Ms. Melissa Engen drafted a new "easy-to-read" guidebook on city ordinances. This handy guide addresses a number of questions the department gets on a daily basis. Please check this out on the city website on the Inspections Department homepage at <http://www.ci.wausau.wi.us/Departments/Inspections.aspx>.

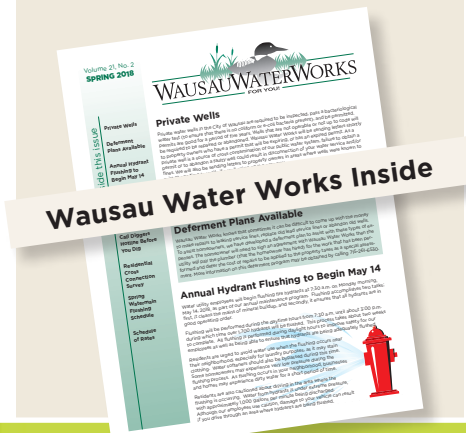
April 20th marks my 2-year anniversary as your Mayor. I cannot believe how fast the time has gone! I absolutely LOVE this position and even on the days where it can be a challenge, I am still incredibly honored and humbled. On that day (Friday-April 20th at 9:00 a.m.) in the City Council Chambers, I will release a second "State of the City Address". I plan to highlight many positive achievements, goals that were accomplished and the challenges and improvements needed ahead for a strong Wausau to continue to thrive and prosper.

As always, please know that I am very accessible and welcome hearing from you on any issues or concerns that you have...Thanks and take care!

Robert B. Mielke

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GHIDORZI GREEN & CLEAN EVENT DETAILS FOR 2018



PRESENTED BY THE
GHIDORZI FOUNDATION

Who: Everyone is welcome!

What: Picking up litter for a clean start to spring.

Where: Event kicks off at Corporate Cove Tower. Cleanup encompasses Wausau metro area, including Wausau, Rib Mountain, Schofield, Rothschild and Weston.

When: **April 21**
8 a.m. – Refreshments, check-in, live WIFC broadcast from Dave Kallaway and Susan Kennedy
8:45 a.m. – Deployment of volunteers
9-11 a.m. – Trash pick-up

11 a.m. – Event completion, volunteers depart from their cleanup site
11:15 a.m.-1 p.m. – River Valley Bank is hosting a free brat fry for all volunteers following the cleanup at their Wausau Branch, 327 N. 17th Avenue, Wausau, 54401.

Please register online at www.ghidorzigrinandclean.com. Contact Taylre at 715.348.1360 with any questions.

Wausau's Outdoor Season



Pools

Kaiser Pool

900 Bridge Street
(54403)

Memorial Pool

500 Memorial Park Road
(54403)

Schulenburg Pool

1533 Summit Drive (54401)

Dates:

Friday, June 8 through August 12 (Memorial and Schulenburg) or August 19 (Kaiser)

Times:

1 to 7:50 pm daily

Fees:

Under one year - free with paying care giver

1 to 17 years \$2.00

18 to 59 years \$3.00

60 years and older \$2.00.

Fees are half price from 6 to 7:50 pm daily, with Wednesdays 6-7:50 free admission

Passes:

Family Pass must include at least one parent/legal guardian.

Wausau residents - \$70 for 2 people, \$80 for 3 people, \$90 for 4 people. \$10 for each additional child under 18. Children 18 and older are not included in a family pass and must purchase an adult pass

Adult Pass Wausau Resident - \$45
Non-resident - \$60

Youth Pass Wausau Resident - \$30
Non-resident - \$40

Family Pass Non Resident
\$95 for 2 people
\$110 for 3 people
\$125 for 4 people.
\$15 for each additional child under 18.

Swimming Lessons:

Session I June 11-29

Session II July 2-20

(No lessons on 4th of July)

Session III July 23-August 10

Calendar of Events - 2018

April

21	Ghidorzi Green & Clean Event, www.ghidorzigreenandclean.com , 715-348-1360	8am-Noon
27,28	Clean It up, Wausau LARGE ITEM DROP OFF Event, Yard Waste Site, 105 E. Chellis Street.	9am-5pm
28	CVA "Artfully Adjusted" Fundraiser Sponsored by the Center for Visual Arts 715-842-4545	5-7pm

May

1	Marathon Park Camping Opens - Phone reservations begin May 4 715-261-1550	
1	Swim Lesson Sign-up begins at Park Office, 212 River Drive or online at www.co.marathon.wi.us - Call Parks Dept at 715-261-1550	
12, 13	Wausau Whitewater Recreational Release, Whitewater Park. (Lessons available) Call 715-203-1279 www.wausauwhitewater.org	10am-5pm
19	Downtown Open House, <i>Sponsored by Wausau River District, 715-218-9457</i>	10am-4pm
20	Wings Over Wausau - Alexander Airport Park Dedication, Lakeview Dr & Pied Piper Lane	10am
25	Marathon Junction opens for the weekend and then daily starting June 1 at Marathon Park	11am
26	Memorial Day Parade - Marathon Park to VFW	10:45am
29 to July 12	Family Yoga for ages 6 and older (must include 1 adult). Tuesday/Thursday nights 6-7pm - East Gate Hall, Marathon Park, Call Parks Dept at 715-261-1550 for more details	6-7pm

June

2, 3	Marathon County Splash Pad opens - Ages 10 and under must be accompanied by an adult, \$.50. <i>Sponsored by the Parks Dept.</i>	12-7pm daily
7	Wausau Concert Band, Marathon Park, Call 715-842-1188	7pm
8	Relay-for-Life, American Cancer Society, cancer.org	
8	Wausau Pools open	1-7:50pm
9	2nd Avenue Block Party, Live music, food trucks, FREE. <i>Sponsored by Wausau River District 715-218-9457</i>	Noon-5pm
9, 10	Wausau Whitewater Recreational Release, Whitewater Park. (Lessons available) Call 715-203-1279 www.wausauwhitewater.org	10am-5pm
11-29	Swimming Lessons - Session I Call Parks Dept to register 715-261-1550	
13	Concert on the Square, 400 Block, Sponsored by Wausau Events	6-8pm
11 to Aug 3	City Playground Program Opens - supervised sites, \$35-Resident, \$44- Non Resident. Call Parks Dept 715-261-1550 for information	
11 to 28	Family Tennis Lessons - Session I Up to 4 family members (must include 1 adult) Mon/Tue/Thursday nights - Oak Island Courts, \$70 - Residents, \$91 - Non Residents	6pm -7:15pm
11 to Aug 13	Tennis Camp - Ages 5-17 yrs, Week-long 1/2 day camps. Times and fees vary by age. Call Parks Dept 715-261-1550	
14	Wausau Concert Band, Marathon Park, Call 715-842-1188	7pm
15, 16, 17	Summer Kick-Off Celebration, Oak Island Park; Fathers Day Car Show on Sunday, 400 Block, <i>Sponsored by Wausau Events</i>	Fri-5-9pm; Sun. Car Show 10am-3pm
16	Splash into Safety - FREE - All children receive a free life jacket. Memorial Pool - Pre-registration required - call 715-847-2380	10am
19	Family Fitness Fest, Sponsored by Greenheck Field House/DC Everest, 715-551-1488	1-4pm
20	Concert on the Square, 400 Block, <i>Sponsored by Wausau Events</i>	6-8pm
21	Wausau Concert Band, Marathon Park, Call 715-842-1188	7pm
21	Marketplace Thursdays, 400 Block, <i>Sponsored by Wausau Events</i>	9am-2pm
23, 24	Wausau Whitewater Recreational Release, Whitewater Park. (Lessons available) Call 715-203-1279 www.wausauwhitewater.org	10am - 5pm
24	Dog Gone Pool Party - Splash Pad, Marathon Park, 2 dogs per adult \$5.00 per person, 12 & under free with paid adult. Collar or harness & proof of current vaccinations required	5:30pm - 8pm
27	Concert on the Square, 400 Block, <i>Sponsored by Wausau Events</i>	6-8pm
28	Wausau Concert Band, Hammond Park, Call 715-842-1188	7pm
28	Marketplace Thursdays, 400 Block, <i>Sponsored by Wausau Events</i>	9am-2pm

July

2 to 20	Swimming Lessons - Session II Call Parks Dept to register 715-261-1550	
4	Red, White & Boom at Athletic Ball Park Stadium, <i>Sponsored by WI College Baseball 715-845-5055</i>	6:30-10pm
2 to 19	Family Tennis Lessons - Session II	6-7:15pm
5	Wausau Concert Band, Marathon Park, Call 715-842-1188	7pm
5	Marketplace Thursdays, 400 Block, <i>Sponsored by Wausau Events</i>	9am-2pm
8	Jazz on the River, Kickbusch Plaza (behind Library), Bring your lawn chair.	5-7pm
10 - Aug 23	Cross-fit in the Park, Tuesday/Thursday evenings, Behind Library, \$65.00 - Call Parks Department for details 715-261-1550	5:30-6:30pm
11	Concert on the Square, 400 Block <i>Sponsored by Wausau Events</i>	6-8pm
12	Marketplace Thursdays, 400 Block, <i>Sponsored by Wausau Events</i>	9am-2pm
12, 13, 14, 15	Downtown Sidewalk Sales, <i>Sponsored by Wausau River District</i>	
12, 13, 14, 15	Balloon Rally & Rib Fest, Downtown Airport and 400 Block, <i>Sponsored by Wausau Events 715-845-1328</i>	
13	Wausau Concert Band, Marathon Park, Call 715-842-1188	7pm
14	Balloon Chase 5K Run/Walk, Downtown Airport, <i>Sponsored by Wausau Events 715-845-1328</i>	7:30am
14, 15	Chalkfest, 400 Block	Sat 8-8pm, Sun 7-11am
14, 15	Wausau Whitewater Recreational Release, Whitewater Park, (Lessons available) Call 715-203-1279 www.wausauwhitewater.org	10am - 5pm
15	Jazz on the River, Kickbusch Plaza (behind Library), Bring your lawn chair.	5-7pm
16	Bike to Pools Day-Ride bike to Kaiser Pool. Arrive between 1 and 2:30 to get free helmet and coupon for free cone or train ride at Marathon Junction	
17	Bike to Pools Day-Ride bike to Memorial Pool. Arrive between 1 and 2:30 to get free helmet and coupon for free cone or train ride at Marathon Junction	
18	Bike to Pools Day - Ride bike to Schulenburg Pool. Arrive between 1 & 2:30 to get free helmet and coupon for free cone or train ride at Marathon Junction	
18	Concert on the Square, 400 Block <i>Sponsored by Wausau Events</i>	6-8pm
19	Wausau Concert Band, Marathon Park, Call 715-842-1188	7pm
19	Marketplace Thursdays, 400 Block, <i>Sponsored by Wausau Events</i>	9am-2pm
21	South Beach Up North Concert, Mozart on the Move, Universalist Unitarian Church, 504 Grant St, <i>Sponsored by www.sobechamberensemble.org</i>	6pm
21, 22	Wausau Whitewater Team River Runner, Whitewater Park, Call 715-203-1279	10am-6pm
22	Jazz on the River, Kickbusch Plaza (behind Library), Bring your lawn chair.	5-7pm
22	South Beach Up North Concert, Golijov and del Aguila string quartets and Onslow string quintet at St John's Episcopal Church, <i>Sponsored by www.sobechamberensemble.org</i>	Noon
23 to Aug 9	Family Tennis Lessons - Session III Call Parks Dept to register 715-261-1550	6-7:15pm
23 to Aug 10	Swimming Lessons - Session III Call Parks Dept to register 715-261-1550	
25	Concert on the Square, 400 Block <i>Sponsored by Wausau Events</i>	6-8pm
26	Wausau Concert Band, Marathon Park, Call 715-842-1188	7pm
26	Marketplace Thursdays, 400 Block, <i>Sponsored by Wausau Events</i>	9am-2pm
28, 29	Hmong Sports, Music & Arts Festival - Eastbay Sports Complex. Organized by the Hmong American Center, Inc. 715-842-8390	8am-8pm
29	Jazz on the River, Kickbusch Plaza (behind Library), Bring your lawn chair.	5-7pm
29	South Beach Up North Concert, Beethoven and Mendelssohn Piano Trios, Universalist Unitarian Church, <i>Sponsored by www.sobechamberensemble.org</i>	Noon
30	Dog Gone Pool Party - Splash Pad, Marathon Park, 2 dogs per adult \$5.00 per person, 12 & under free with paid adult. Collar or harness & proof of current vaccinations required	5:30-8pm
31 to Aug 5	Wisconsin Valley Fair, WI Valley Fair Board, 715-261-1539	

Fees: **Beginner to Advanced Swim**
Wausau Resident \$38
Non-resident \$46

Toddler Lessons (3x week)
Resident \$24
Non-resident \$29

Parent/child (2x week)
Resident \$18
Non-resident \$21

Playgrounds

Playgrounds:
John Marshall,
1918 Lamont Street,
Wausau (54403)
Grant, 500 N 4th Avenue,
Wausau (54401)
Thomas Jefferson,
500 West Randolph
Street, Wausau (54401)

Dates: June 11- August 2
Times: **Marshall** 8:30 to noon, Mondays and Wednesdays;
Grant 8:30 to Noon Tuesdays and Thursdays,
Jefferson 8:30 am to 4 pm (With swimming at Schulenburg pool included at no extra charge)

Fees: Wausau Residents \$35
Non-residents \$44

Ages: 4K through 4th grade



Oak Island Tennis Camp

Oak Island Park,
500 River Drive, Wausau (54403)

Dates: Weekly, half-day camps, mornings or afternoons. June 11 through August 10

Times: 9 am to Noon or 1 to 4 pm

Fees: Ages 7 to 17 years
Wausau Residents \$44,
Non-resident \$57
Ages 5-6 (11 to noon only)
Wausau Residents \$24
Non-residents \$29

Weather:
Camp meets rain or shine with indoor activities at Oak Island Shelter if it rains

2018 Recycling Collection Calendar

Refer to the table and the calendar to determine your recycling and garbage pick-up day. If you have any questions as to whether you live in a blue or yellow collection area, call City Hall at 715-261-6500. Recycling bins should be set out with garbage containers between the hours of 3:00 pm the day prior to collection day and should be removed from the curbside area by 11:00 a.m. the day after pick-up. **Keep this schedule for future reference and remember the holiday schedule of a "day delay" pick-up.**

West Side of Wisconsin River:			
North of W. Wausau Ave		Monday	Blue
North of Elm St., South of W. Wausau Ave. & East of USH 51		Monday	Yellow
South of Elm St. & North of Stewart Ave. including entire area West of USH 51		Tuesday	Blue
South of Stewart Ave. & North of Thomas St.		Tuesday	Yellow
South of Thomas St.		Wednesday	Blue

East Side of Wisconsin River:			
North of Marquardt Rd. & East of railroad tracks		Wednesday	Blue
North of Nina Ave. & South of Marquardt Rd. including homes West of the railroad tracks to Evergreen Rd.		Wednesday	Yellow
South of Nina Ave. & North of Hamilton St.		Thursday	Blue
South of Hamilton St. & North of Kickbusch St.		Thursday	Yellow
South of Kickbusch St., North of McDonald St. & East of Northwestern Rd.		Friday	Blue
South of McDonald St. & entire area West of Northwestern Rd.		Friday	Yellow

2018 Recycling Calendar

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Educational Opportunities

MCDEVCO's Educational Opportunities for Entrepreneurs and Small Business Owners

MCDEVCO continues to offer no-charge educational programs and workshops to all entrepreneurs and small business owners in Wausau/Marathon County. Business professionals from throughout the area have volunteered their time to provide exceptional mentoring, programing, and workshop series. These educational opportunities support our new entrepreneurs in the planning stage through our small business owners. The skills obtained allow the entrepreneurs to start and grow their businesses locally.

General entrepreneurs programs that teach skills for the long-term success are:

- Workshop Series – **Lean Business – The 9 Building Blocks**
Presenter – Amy Plier – Wausau Container Corporation
April 25, May 2, May 9, and May 16, 2018 from 6:00pm – 8:00pm at MCDEVCO
- Quarterly Lunch and Learns – **TIF Funding – What is it?**
Presenter – Tammy Stratz – Community Development Manager for the City of Wausau
June 7, 2018 from 12:00pm – 1:00pm at MCDEVCO
Bring your lunch and MCDEVCO will provide beverages and a snack!

Women mentoring women entrepreneurs programs that support women are:

- Presentation and Auto Clinic – **Women in Non-Traditional Roles**
Presenter – Stephanie Wooster – Wooster Garage
April 10, 2018 from 5:30pm – 7:00pm at
Wooster Garage, 5406 Schofield Ave, Weston, WI 54476
- Workshop Series – **Entrepreneurship Fundamentals: Owning Your Value**
Presenter – Ursa Swensen – US
April 16, May 21, and June 18, 2018 at MCDEVCO
- Program – **De-stressing Workshop for Women Entrepreneurs**
Presenter – Tess Hanke – Comet Creek Herbs & Botanicals
May 30, 2018 from 6:00pm – 7:30pm at Lil' Ole Winemaker Shoppe,
602 Jefferson St, Wausau WI 54403

MCDEVCO's programs aim to support Marathon County's vision to be the most prosperous county in Wisconsin. To achieve that goal, MCDEVCO is constantly updating its programing and workshops to meet the requirements of our entrepreneurs.

Future Programing

We are currently working on developing hands-on classes in Excel, Word, PowerPoint, and QuickBooks. Shortly, you will be able to sign up for our new workshop series on "How to Write Your Business Plan" which is the class after Lean Business – The 9 Building Blocks. We will continue to offer at least quarterly Lunch and Learns with a different topic each time.

Our workshops, seminars, individual mentoring, and training are available to all residents of Marathon County at no charge. We just ask that you pre-register so that we have adequate seating and materials available for all attending.

A special note – May 17th MCDEVCO staff will be volunteering at New Life Pet Adoption Center. From now until then we will be accepting donations of cash, dog, and cat supplies at our programs to take with us!

To get up-to-date information on our programs or to register for a program or become a mentor, please find and like us on Facebook, email us at info@mcdevco.org, or call us at 715.298.0084.

We hope to see YOU at one of our programs!



Book Sale



Friends of the Marathon
County Public Library

May 2018

SPRING BOOK SALE

Special Members Only Sale
Thursday, May 3rd • 5:00 – 8:00 p.m.
Memberships Available

Friday & Saturday, May 4 & 5
9:30 a.m. – 4:30 p.m.

Sunday May 6th

BAG SALE

1:00 – 4:30 p.m. \$6 • Bags Provided

For more information
Call 715-261-7200 • info@mcpl.us

Memorial Day Parade

Participants Wanted!

The City of Wausau Veterans Committee is organizing the annual **MEMORIAL DAY PARADE** to be held on Saturday, May 26, 2018 at 10:45 a.m.

Patriotic floats, marching units, and any group or organization interested in participating is needed. Line-up begins at 9:45 a.m. and the line-up location will be in the Fair Midway area of Marathon Park, east of the grandstands. Step-off for the parade will be at 10:45 proceeding through the Stewart Avenue Main Gate traveling east on Stewart Avenue to River Drive, concluding at the former VFW building at 388 River Drive. The ceremony at the former VFW building will begin at approximately 11:00 a.m. with opening remarks by a City Representative. Following will be the exercise of the Military Rites and Taps.

Please join us as we honor our fallen comrades by coming out and enjoying the parade. Anyone wishing to participate are encouraged to call either Paul Missett at 715-842-9554 or Roger Sydow at 715-675-1839.

Marathon County Historical Society News

History is for everyone!

At the Marathon County Historical Society, we are finding new ways to connect people with our past. Our programs are designed to reach audiences from children through retired folks, with a wide range of interests.

Tours and Exhibits

We offer guided tours of the Yawkey House Museum, the elegant home lumber baron Cyrus Yawkey built for his wife, Alice, and beloved daughter, Leigh, in 1901, then remodeled and expanded just eight years later. Get tickets across the street at the Woodson History Center, which houses free exhibits showcasing Marathon County history. *Our Stories: The History of Marathon County* features reminiscences of how people arrived in this area, and how they worked and played in days gone by. *Rural Electrification: Outlet for Change* describes how slowly electricity came to farms in the early 1900s, and the changes it brought. *Milking Time: The Dairy History of Marathon County* will open later this spring.

History Speaks

Our popular History Speaks series offers talks on a variety of topics, including downtown buildings, birds, the fair, and medicine. Last fall we expanded this series to bring speakers into smaller communities outside Wausau, through History Speaks in Your Town. All these talks are free to attend!

History Speaks: Streets of Downtown Wausau. Sunday, April 29, 2018, 2 pm. Gary Gisselman will take a look at downtown buildings that graced Wausau streets from the early days into the 1980s. Free. At Marathon County Historical Society's Woodson History Center, 410 McIndoe St., Wausau.

History Speaks in Hatley: How Plants Shape the Earth's Climate – Past, Present, Future. Monday, May 14, 2018, 7 pm. Paul Whitaker explains the relationships between plants and climate. Free. At Hatley Branch Library, 435 Curtis Ave., Hatley.

History Speaks: Civil War Medicine: Reality vs. Hollywood. Saturday, June 23, 2018, 2 pm. Speaker is Gordon Dammann. Free. At Marathon County Historical Society's Woodson History Center, 410 McIndoe St., Wausau.

Upcoming Events

Saturday, May 19, 2018: 10 am to 4 pm. **Downtown Open House.** Visit the Marathon County Historical Society for displays celebrating the Sesquicentennial of the Wisconsin Valley Fair. At 2 pm, Ben Clark will present **"History Speaks: 150 Years of the Wisconsin Valley Fair."** Free. At Marathon County Historical Society's Woodson History Center, 410 McIndoe St., Wausau.

Sunday, May 20, 2018: **Wings Over Wausau: The History of Wausau Aviation, Past, Present & Future,** at Wausau Downtown Airport. Park dedication at 10 am; tours with re-enactors 11 am to 4 pm, plus historic aircraft to view, "sky fight" and other activities. Free to attend. Check www.marathoncountyhistory.org and Facebook for updated information.

Saturday, June 2, 2018: 1-3 pm. **American Girl Themed Garden Party.** Children and a special doll enjoy an old-fashioned garden party complete with treats and a craft project to take home. \$10. In the Gardens at the Yawkey House Museum of the Marathon County Historical Society, 410 McIndoe St., Wausau. Call 715-842-5750 for reservations.

New!

We will offer **Story Time in the Garden** three times this summer. The first is Thursday, June 14, 2018, at 1:30 pm. Families can enjoy vintage picture books read by various museum staff and volunteers, plus play old-fashioned games and take home a coloring page. Free. At Marathon County Historical Society's Yawkey House Gardens, (moves indoors to WHC in case of rain), 403 McIndoe St., Wausau.

Vintage Games

Every month, you have two opportunities to play vintage board games. On the first Thursdays, join us at Limerick's in downtown Wausau for the 21+ version; drink specials feature a different era each month. Upcoming 21+ Game Nights are May 3 and June 7, starting at 7 pm. On fourth Fridays, bring the whole family to bond over games at the Woodson History Center. All ages can attend from 7 pm to 10 pm on April 27, May 25 and June 22.

More Info

Find out more about our programs and events by calling 715-842-5750, emailing info@marathoncountyhistory.org or checking our website www.marathoncountyhistory.org or Facebook page.



Wausau Community & Economic Development

Entrepreneurs in unexpected places: How one Midwest city promotes diverse local innovation

September of 2017, thousands of people from around the world congregated in an unlikely place: Wausau, Wisconsin.

This diverse crowd was gathered for the first International Wisconsin Ginseng Festival. While many may be surprised that such an event would be held in the middle of Wisconsin's rolling hills and scenic lakes, it is locally a \$50 million industry with a long history. In the mid 1970s Hmong immigrants, primarily from Vietnam, brought their entrepreneurial skills and revitalized the local ginseng industry. Welcomed by a friendly community that continues to foster an entrepreneurial spirit, Hsu's Ginseng, now under the leadership of the original founder's son Will Hsu, has grown to be the largest integrated ginseng growing and retailing operation in the U.S. Wausau's industrious self starters and newcomers grew a multimillion dollar industry, and the region continues to incubate entrepreneurs across a diverse array of business sectors.

Local innovation

Wausau, ranked recently by ZipRecruiter as a Top 10 Job Market for 2018, has a track record of successful public-private development partnerships and hosts a thriving incubator — the Wausau Entrepreneurial and Education Center — to help local entrepreneurs get started and help established businesses grow. For instance, Wausau based Resilient Technologies, now a business of Bridgestone Americas, was approached by the U.S. government to develop puncture resistant tires. In an effort to make military vehicles more safe, they used strong local manufacturing ties to develop a first-of-its-kind nonpneumatic tire in Wausau's incubator. Bridgestone is now looking for ways to apply the technology to its consumer and commercial portfolio, and develop next generation tires that offer extended mobility.

"A lot of people don't know these types of projects are happening here, but the city of Wausau is a great partner and the city provides our team with a wonderful place to call home," says Louis Stark, operations manager, Resilient Technologies, Bridgestone Americas Tire Operations.

The availability of an experienced workforce that can develop these specialized tires for the U.S. military is the same workforce that has made an impact on other areas of Wausau's economy.

"Top 10 Job Market for 2018" ZipRecruiter; **"#1 Best Small City for Business Services Jobs"** New Geography; **"The Middle-Class Paradise"** Time; **"Safest Metro Area in the Midwest"** FBI; **"Top 10 Safest Cities in Wisconsin"** Safe Home; **"Highest Average Credit Score"** USA Today; **"#23 Best Place to Work in Manufacturing"** Smart Asset; **"10 Best Cities for Return on Salary"** Career Cast; **"10 Cities That Give You The Best Bang For Your Buck"** Forbes; **"#1 for Business in Wisconsin, #3 among Small Metro Areas Nationwide"** Area Development

Entrepreneurial workforce

Sometimes entrepreneurial opportunities spring from unusual skills. Some residents in Wausau have deep connections to artistic traditions, including sewing. Bob Jacquart, chief executive officer of Stormy Kromer, makers of iconic hats and rugged outerwear, says he now relies on the sewing skills of Wausau's residents to create one of the Midwest's most storied brands.

Stormy Kromer's operations in Wausau have been successful, outpacing production in the company's headquarters in Ironwood, Michigan.

"I could not have felt more welcome and city leaders could not have been more accommodating in helping Stormy Kromer find a suitable space as well as skilled workers in Wausau," says Jacquart. "Our business found exactly what it needed and the support from leaders was exceptional."

Incubating community

The local economic conditions and support environment that allowed these Wausau based companies to thrive are the very conditions that led Time Magazine to label Wausau a "middle class paradise" last year.

A combination of affordability, welcoming atmosphere and economic diversity is attracting young people, new industries and incubating unlikely entrepreneurs. Aiming to make the most out of these trends, the city is responding in kind. New growth and development hit record levels in 2017 across diverse sectors of growing businesses in Wausau. The city's warm attitude toward entrepreneurs and diversity further complement its traditional economic base in metals manufacturing, building materials, insurance, informational technology and health care.

To learn more about how the city of Wausau is attracting entrepreneurs and gaining an international reputation, visit www.wausome.com.

Clean It Up, Wausau

City Of Wausau

Large Item Drop-Off Clean It Up, Wausau

Friday & Saturday,
April 27 & 28, 2018

9:00 a.m. – 5:00 p.m.

East end of E. Chellis Street
near the Yard Waste Site



The Mayor's N2N (Neighbor to Neighbor) Committee is partnering with local non-profit organization in another "Clean It Up, Wausau" event for Wausau residents to properly and safely dispose of unwanted items. Items can be dropped off at 105 E. Chellis Street. Follow the signs and please be prepared to **show proof of CITY OF WAUSAU residency!** If you have questions, please call Public Works at 715-261-6960 or the Mayor's Office at 715-261-6800.

To dispose of these or other items, please call the Marathon County Solid Waste and Recycling Information line at 1-877-270-3989.

UNACCEPTABLE ITEMS

- Light Bulbs
- Smoke/CO Detectors
- Batteries
- Paint, Chemicals
- Remodeling waste-insulation, fiberglass
- Roofing material
- Waste oil, antifreeze, lead
- Fertilizers
- Pesticides, Herbicides
- Compressed Gas Cylinders
- Explosives
- **Medication - Drop off at local Police Department**

MEDICAL EQUIPMENT IN WORKING CONDITION

We are partnering with Good News Project with their HEALTH EQUIPMENT LENDING PROGRAM (HELP Closet). Please drop off any working item listed below. No fees apply.

- Bath Shower Chair
- Walker
- Wheel Chair
- Crutches, Canes
- Toilet Seat Riser
- Commode
- Bed Rail
- Bathtub grab bars
- Knee walker

ITEMS ACCEPTED	FEE
ALL ELECTRONICS:	
All Computers, Faxes, Printers, cell phones, TV's, mice, keyboards, anything with a cord	.40/lb.
Broken TV's	.60/lb.
TIRES:	
Up to 20"	\$5.00
Over 20"	\$10.00
APPLIANCES:	
Microwaves	FREE
Dehumidifiers, Air conditioners	\$10.00
Refrigerators, Freezers	\$10.00
Snow blowers (gas, oil removed)	FREE
Lawnmowers (gas, oil removed)	FREE
Stoves	FREE
Washers, Dryers, Dishwashers	FREE
Scrap Metal	FREE
FURNITURE:	
Mattress/Box Springs	FREE
Tables, Chairs, Sofas	FREE

City Of Wausau

Yard Waste Site

The City of Wausau Yard Waste Site is located at the east end of East Chellis Street.

2018 HOURS OF OPERATION

The Yard Waste Site will be open from: March 24, through November 17th during the following hours:

Monday	CLOSED
Tuesday	CLOSED
Wednesday	9 a.m. to 8 p.m.
Thursday	CLOSED
Friday	CLOSED
Saturday	9 a.m. to 5 p.m.
Sunday	9 a.m. to 5 p.m.

***CLOSED EASTER SUNDAY
APRIL 1ST***

***NOTE*- Schedule times may vary in the fall, call D.P.W. at 715-261-6960 to confirm scheduled hours.**

The site will be locked and gated during non-operating hours. The site is monitored by video surveillance. Citations will be issued to parties who leave yard waste outside the gate of the facility.

MATERIALS ACCEPTED:

Garden & flower debris, Grass, Leaves, Tree branches/brush

The City of Wausau appreciates your cooperation. The site is for City of Wausau residents only. Call The Department of Public Works at 715-261-6960, if you have any questions, Office hours are: Monday thru Friday 7:00 a.m. – 3:30 p.m.



Mission Statement... In response to our citizens, we will provide services in the most effective manner in order to promote and enhance our living environment. Plan and encourage positive growth. Promote a positive community image by encouraging citizen involvement and civic pride.

Inspection Department

Construction/Remodeling Projects

If you are planning any construction or remodeling projects, we would like to remind you that permits are required for most projects in the City of Wausau, such as:

- New construction or an addition to a building.
- Alterations/remodeling (kitchen cabinets, drywalling, etc.).
- Construction of a detached garage, lean-to, storage building, gazebo, or any additions or alterations thereto.
- Construction or reconstruction of a deck, stoop, porch or ramp.
- Residing of a building. (Make sure house numbers get reinstalled upon completion.)
- Roofs: A building permit is required for the installation/replacement of all roofing in the City including reshingling.
 - Old shingles must be removed, unless the Building Inspector approves installation over one existing layer.
 - Metal roofs are NOT allowed on residential buildings in the City unless they meet certain guidelines and are approved on an individual case-by-case basis by the City. (Metal roofs using corrugated panels or exposed fasteners will not be approved for use on residential buildings.)
- Construction, replacement or expansion of a fence. The purpose for requiring permits for fences is to ensure the location, height, materials and maintenance of them, so they properly comply with City regulations and in order to prevent the creation of nuisances.
- Demolition of a building.
- Separate permits are required for any plumbing or electrical work.

A more complete list of permit requirements is available on-line at: www.ci.wausau.wi.us/Departments/Inspections/ResidentialPermitRequirements.aspx

Permits are required not only to ensure your project meets City zoning regulations and complies with City and State codes, but also lets us assist you in achieving a project that is safe and structurally sound.

The inspectors are typically in the office between 8:00-9:00 AM and 12:30-1:30 PM, Monday through Friday, to review plans, issue permits and answer questions. The remainder of the work day, they conduct on-site inspections. If these times are not convenient for you, contact the Division of Inspection, Zoning and Electrical Systems at 715.261.6780, and they are generally able to make other arrangements for you to meet with their staff. times are not convenient for you, contact the Division of Inspection, Zoning and Electrical Systems at 715.261.6780, and they are generally able to make other arrangements for you to meet with their staff.



Property Maintenance Reminders

The City of Wausau has ordinances that are designed to protect the public's health and safety, and to preserve the appearance of neighborhoods. For the most part, City residents take great pride in maintaining their property in an aesthetically-pleasing condition, and comply with City ordinances. Following are the most common violations observed by City Inspectors:

■ Exterior Property Areas:

- Shall be maintained in a clean and sanitary condition, free from any accumulation of items, garbage, debris, yard waste.
- Dog/animal excreta must be picked up on a daily basis, so as to minimize health hazards.
- Furniture, not intended for outdoor use, is not allowed on yards or open porches.

■ Vehicles:

- Must be parked on established driveway/parking areas that are hard-surfaced.
- Parking on the grass is not allowed.
- Vehicles that are unregistered/unlicensed, inoperable, abandoned, or in any state of major disassembly, disrepair, or undergoing overhaul are not allowed to be parked on residential properties.
- Motor vehicle repair is not allowed on residential properties.

■ Trash And Recyclable Carts:

- Can be set out for collection after 3:00 PM on the day before pickup.
- All carts must be removed from the curb-side/boulevard area by 11:00 AM the day after pickup.
- Between pickups, trash and recyclable carts should be stored in a garage or shed, or kept behind the front of the house.

■ Recreational Equipment:

- Motor homes, camping and travel trailers, boats, boat trailers, snowmobiles, ATV's, utility trailers, etc. cannot be parked or stored in any required front yard or corner side yard, except for on a designated driveway which meets the City's hard-surfacing requirements.
- Equipment or trailers that are longer than 30' (measured from back bumper to tongue) must be parked within enclosed structures.

- **Signs:** Rummage sale, garage sale, real estate, advertising or other such signs cannot be placed on boulevards, other public right-of-ways or attached to public utility poles.

If you have any questions or wish to report any violations, call the Division of Inspection, Zoning and Electrical Systems at 715.261.6780.



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Gallery: Tues - Fri 10-5pm, *Sat 12-4pm

*Gift Shop: Tues - Fri: 10-5pm, Sat 10-4pm

*CVA Gift Shop: 715.298.9190

CVA Gallery: 715.842.4545

Artfully Adjusted

Spring Fundraiser benefiting the Center for the Visual Arts

Saturday, April 28, 2018 from 5-7pm

Artfully Adjust YOUR Space with Original Art!

The event includes appetizers by Urban Street Bistro, live music, (2) \$5 raffle tickets to the CVA School of Art Drawings, and Cash Bar

Event Tickets: \$30

Available at the CVA Galleries, Gift Shop, or online: cvawausau.org

And there's MORE!

All original art "From the Collectors' Vault" Exhibit is donated by local collectors and offers a 'purchase now, take now' opportunity with all proceeds benefiting the CVA!

All funds raised will serve **OUR**
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Artfully Adjusted Winner's Choice Raffle!

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3 Artists - 3 Mediums - 3 Styles

The winner chooses one!

Mary Robinson (recycled mixed media)

Christine Alfery (acrylic)

Mary Kay Neumann (watercolor)

Each piece will be artfully styled by Nigbur's Fine Furniture to help inspire you to recreate your space!

Tickets: \$25 each or 5/\$100

The Artfully Adjusted Raffle tickets can be purchased in advance at the Galleries or Gift Shop located in the Third Street Lifestyle Center.

Unable to attend? You can support the CVA by donating today!

For more information, please call 715-842-4545. Thank you!

Leigh Yawkey Woodson Art

2018 Leigh Yawkey Woodson Art Exhibitions

Current Exhibitions

March 3 - May 27, 2018

Rarely Seen: Photographs of the Extraordinary

Experience astounding visual wonders in the National Geographic exhibition of fifty striking images shot by some of the world's finest photographers of seldom-seen places, events, natural phenomena, and man-made heirlooms.

March 3 - May 27, 2018

My Friend Eric Rohmann

Award-winning artist Erick Rohmann takes center stage in this retrospective exhibition featuring artwork in various mediums - oil, watercolor, and relief printing - including Time Flies, his first book which won a Caldecott Honor in 1995; My Friend Rabbit, which received the Caldecott Medal in 2003; A kitten Tale, published in 2008; and Oh, No!, his most recent book.

Upcoming Exhibitions

June 2 - August 26, 2018

The World According to Federico Uribe

Columbia-born, Miami-based artist Federico Uribe creates magical creatures and playful installations from everyday objects. Finding beauty in simple materials such as books, colored pencils, wood fragments, and shoes and transforming them into animals and natural environments. Uribe creates an immersive and whimsical landscape.

April 28 - February 17, 2019

Dynamic Designs: The Serigraphs of Anne Senechal Faust

Anne's Faust's vibrant silkscreens affirm her mastery of this medium and a deep knowledge of an affinity for birds and their habitats. Named the Woodson Art Museum's Master Wildlife Artist in 1999, she was the first woman and the first printmaker to receive this prestigious award. Anne designated the Woodson Art Museum as the repository for her artistic oeuvre, representing a commitment of the artist to ensure the Museum's collection includes each of her screenprints.

Hours: Tuesday - Friday 9am - 4pm
 First Thursdays each month 9am - 7:30pm
 Thursdays during Birds in Art 9am - 7:30pm
 Saturday - Sunday Noon - 5pm
 Closed Monday & holidays, including New Year's Day, Easter, July 4, Thanksgiving, Christmas Eve, Christmas

Admission: Always Free Admission

Phone: 715.845.7010

E-mail: museum@lywam.org

Location: Franklin and 12th Streets,
 Wausau, Wisconsin 54403-5007
 (700 North Twelfth Street)

Online: www.lywam.org



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Kids age K-12 in the 2017-2018 school year can ride any Metro Ride bus unlimited trips from June 1 - August 31. Sales begin May 1st at the following locations:

- John Muir Middle School
- Horace Mann Middle School
- Wausau East High School
- Wausau West High School
- County Market
- Wausau City Hall
- The Boys and Girls Club of Wausau
- Marathon County Parks Department

Questions: Call Metro Ride at 715-842-9287



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Private Wells

Private water wells in the City of Wausau are required to be inspected, pass a bacteriological water test (to ensure that there is no coliform or e-coli bacteria present), and be permitted. Permits are good for a period of five years. Wells that are not operable or not up to code will be required to be repaired or abandoned. Wausau Water Works will be sending letters shortly to property owners who have a permit that will be expiring, or has an expired permit. As a private well is a source of cross contamination of our public water system, failure to obtain a permit or to abandon a faulty well could result in disconnection of your water service and/or fines. We will also be sending letters to property owners in areas where wells were known to exist at one time to verify if a well exists on the property.

The Wisconsin DNR offers income dependent grants which could help cover the cost of abandonment. Wausau Water Works also offers a deferment plan to assist in the cost of well abandonment. If you have a private well or would like more information on well abandonment or the grant or deferment programs please contact our office at 715-261-7265. Home owners are responsible for the inspection and sampling costs. Current cost for a well permit is \$100.00.

Deferment Plans Available

Wausau Water Works knows that sometimes it can be difficult to come up with the money to make repairs to leaking service lines, replace old lead service lines or abandon old wells. To assist homeowners, we have developed a deferment plan to assist with these types of expenses. The homeowner will need to sign an agreement with Wausau Water Works then the utility will pay the plumber (that the homeowner has hired) for the work that has been performed and defer the cost of repairs to be applied to the property taxes as a special assessment. More information on this deferment program may be obtained by calling 715-261-6530.

Annual Hydrant Flushing to Begin May 14

Water utility employees will begin flushing fire hydrants at 7:30 a.m. on Monday morning, May 14, 2018, as part of our annual maintenance program. Flushing accomplishes two tasks; first, it cleans the mains of mineral buildup, and secondly, it ensures that all hydrants are in good operating order.

Flushing will be performed during the daytime hours from 7:30 a.m. until about 3:00 p.m. during which time over 1,700 hydrants will be flushed. This process takes about two weeks to complete. All flushing is performed during daylight hours to improve safety for our employees as well as being able to ensure that hydrants are being adequately flushed.

Residents are urged to avoid water use when the flushing occurs near their neighborhood, especially for laundry purposes, as it may stain clothing. Water softeners should also be bypassed during this time. Some homeowners may experience very low pressure during the flushing process. As flushing occurs in your neighborhood, businesses and homes may experience dirty water for a short period of time.

Residents are also cautioned about driving in the area where the flushing is occurring. Water from hydrants is under extreme pressure, with approximately 1,000 gallons per minute being discharged. Although our employees use caution, damage to your vehicle can result if you drive through an area where hydrants are being flushed.



Call Diggers Hotline Before You Dig

Construction projects such as installing decks, fences and tree planting are another sign of spring. Homeowners are reminded to contact Diggers Hotline before you dig by simply dialing 811 from any land line or cell phone. Or, you can place an online request at www.diggershotline.com.

Homeowners are also reminded that they must allow 3 business days (not including the day the request is called in) for all their utilities to be located before they dig, and should plan their projects accordingly. There is no cost to the homeowner to contact Diggers Hotline, who will then inform all utilities with buried facilities, such as water, sewer, gas and electric utilities, telephone and cable companies of your intentions to dig in a specific area.

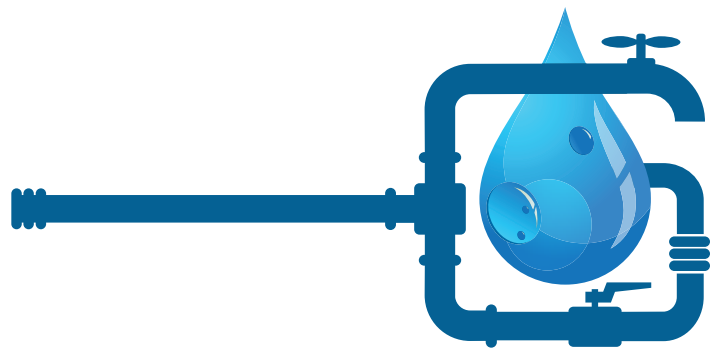
Water lines are marked in the street and up to the curb stop (shut off valve) which is typically located in the boulevard area. Water pipes beyond that point and into the house were installed privately and the utility does not have any record of where they are located.



**Know what's below.
Call before you dig.**

Water Works to Continue Uni-Directional Flushing Program

To enhance water quality and help alleviate lead issues, the Utility will be resuming its Uni-Directional flushing program. The idea behind this type of flushing is to do a comprehensive flush, starting in a particular section of the city and working our way out to the far edges. This systematic, high-velocity program removes settled particles and cleans underground water mains thereby enhancing the water quality. Wausau Water Works will be sending postcards to residents as this specialized flushing is done in neighborhoods. We recommend that you do not run water while this flushing is taking place, nor should you do laundry, especially avoiding the use of bleach during this time. For more information regarding the Uni-Directional Flushing Program contact Wausau Water Works at 715-261-7265.



Residential Cross Connection Survey

As part of a continued effort to provide safe water, Wausau Water Works will be performing Cross Connection Surveys at each residence within the city. These inspections not only protect against hazardous connections to the water supply but are required by the EPA and DNR. The cross-connection survey will be done during the same appointment as the water meter replacement.

These residential surveys will consist of an inspection of the basement plumbing, as well as any plumbing located outside the home. Some of the things we will be looking at are the drains on water softeners, hose bibs, laundry tubs, boilers, toilets and other connection points including irrigation systems. This assures compliance with state cross connection plumbing code.

The most common residential non-complying plumbing fixtures are hose bibs not having back flow prevention. A simple installation of a hose bib vacuum breaker can often fix this issue.

Property owners will be responsible for any repairs or alterations to their plumbing that will be necessary to meet code compliance. If violations are found during the inspection repairs will need to be made within 30 days and a follow-up re-inspection scheduled with the utility.

The cross connection control program was set up to protect the public water supply system from potential backflow hazards which could allow "dirty" or unsafe water to get into the public water supply. Wausau Water Works would like to thank you for your participation in this program, helping us to provide safe water and meet federal and state requirements.

Spring Watermain Flushing Schedule

Utility crews will flush water mains through the operation of hydrants during daytime hours from **7:30 a.m. until 3:00 p.m.** You may want to draw a supply of water prior to your area being flushed. Please be aware that adjacent neighborhoods to the area being flushed may experience dirty water for short periods of time.

Avoid water use during the scheduled flush, especially for laundry purposes. It is particularly important to NOT use bleach in your laundry as it may stain your clothing. It is also suggested that you bypass water softeners during this time. Please also be aware that some homeowners may experience very low pressure during the flushing process.

Flushing Schedule

West Side

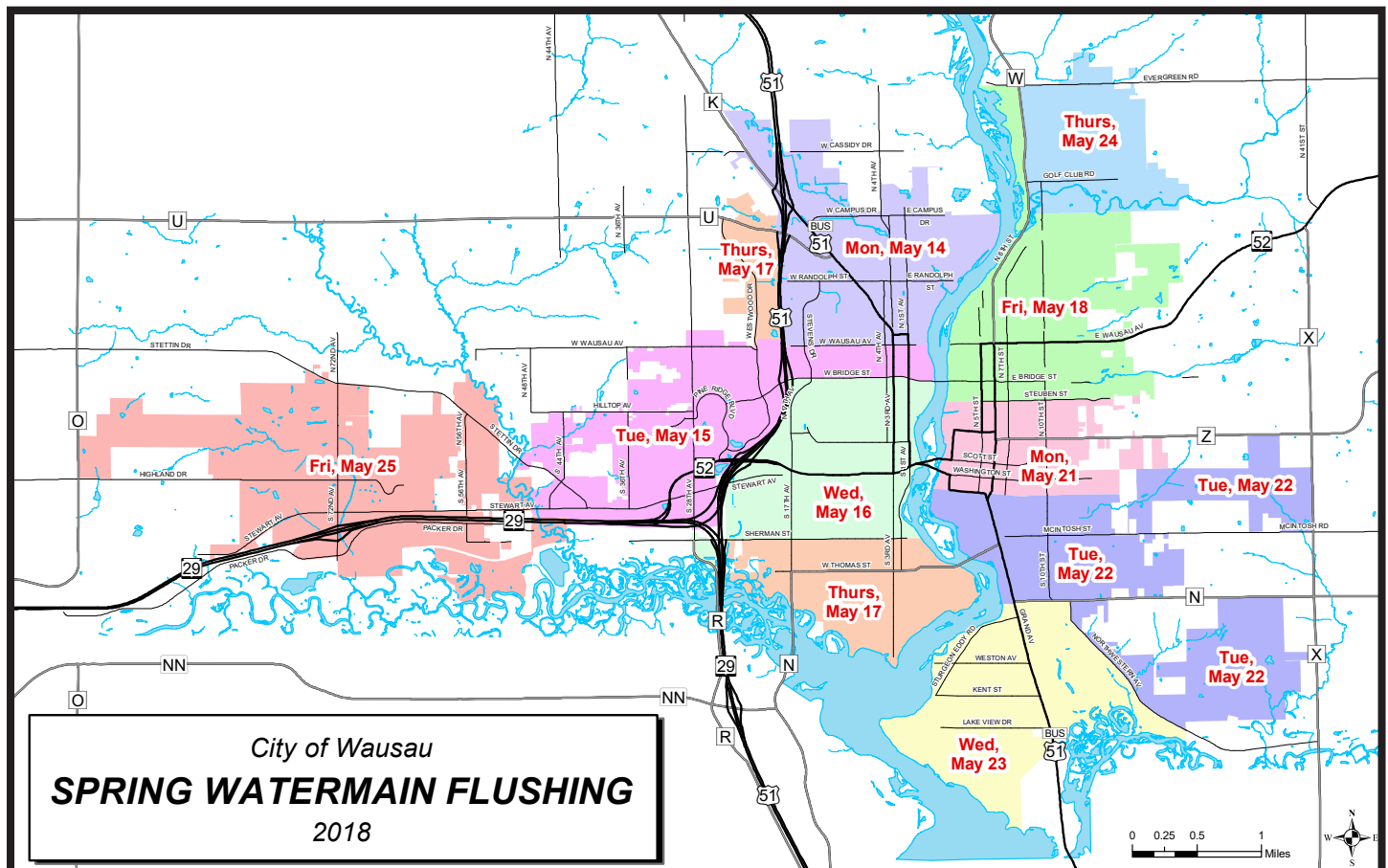
- Monday, May 14** - West Wausau Avenue north to City limits
- Tuesday, May 15** - Wausau Avenue south to Bridge Street and Pinecrest area to Stettin Drive, west to 48th Avenue and north to Hilltop Avenue.
- Wednesday May 16** - Oak Street south to Sherman Street
- Thursday, May 17** - Rosecrans Street south to City limits
- Thursday, May 17** - high pressure zone by 28th Avenue Reservoir, Highway U

East Side

- Friday, May 18** - Steuben Street north to Sylvan Street; 6th Street to City limits (Evergreen Road), Riverview Court and Riverview Drive
- Monday, May 21** - Hamilton Street south to Forest Street
- Tuesday, May 22** - Kickbusch Street south to Town Line Road and Northwestern Avenue
- Wednesday, May 23** - Town Line Road south to City limits

Other Areas

- Thursday, May 24** - Riverview area
- Friday, May 25** - 56th Avenue west to City limits





407 Grant Street - City Hall, Wausau, WI 54403-4783
 Phone: 715 261-6530 • Fax: 715 261-6535

Schedule of Rates

E-mail: waterworks@ci.wausau.wi.us
 Office Hours: Monday-Friday 8:00 a.m. - 4:30 p.m.

Water Rates - Effective August 1, 2017

Quarterly Service Charge (based on meter size)

5/8 Inch Meter	\$16.08
3/4 Inch Meter	16.08
1 Inch Meter	26.28
1-1/4 Inch Meter	38.31
1-1/2 Inch Meter	46.35
2 Inch Meter	67.98
3 Inch Meter	122.07
4 Inch Meter	176.13
6 Inch Meter	327.54
8 Inch Meter	500.58
10 Inch Meter	732.33
12 Inch Meter	964.08

Plus Volume Charge:

Residential Customers - All water used - \$2.16 per 100 cu. ft.

Non-Residential Customers

- First 6,000 cu. ft. \$2.16 per 100 cu. ft.
- Next 54,000 cu. ft. used - \$2.01 per 100 cu. ft.
- Over 60,000 cu. ft. used - \$1.70 per 100 cu. ft.

Irrigation Class - All water used - \$3.09 per 100 cu. ft.

Bills for water and sewer service are issued quarterly and due the 20th of the month. A 1% late payment charge is added to the outstanding balance after the 20th of each month and is applicable to all customers. To avoid late payment charges, all bills must be received in the **office of the City Treasurer** by the due date printed on the front of the bill. Customers who pay at remote collection sites (grocery stores) are recommended to make payments prior to due dates to ensure timely receipt by the City Treasurer.

Public Fire Protection Fees - Effective August 1, 2017

Quarterly Service Charge (based on meter size)

5/8 Inch Meter	\$9.87
3/4 Inch Meter	9.87
1 Inch Meter	24.66
1-1/4 Inch Meter	36.48
1-1/2 Inch Meter	49.32
2 Inch Meter	78.93
3 Inch Meter	148.32
4 Inch Meter	247.20
6 Inch Meter	494.40
8 Inch Meter	787.95
10 Inch Meter	1,183.47
12 Inch Meter	1,578.99

Sewer Rates - Effective January 1, 2011

Quarterly Service Charge (based on water meter size)

5/8 Inch Meter	\$17.00
3/4 Inch Meter	17.00
1 Inch Meter	23.00
1-1/4 Inch Meter	32.00
1-1/2 Inch Meter	37.00
2 Inch Meter	62.00
3 Inch Meter	112.00
4 Inch Meter	183.00
6 Inch Meter	361.00
8 Inch Meter	568.00

Plus Volume Charge

All volume, as recorded by the water meter each quarter shall be charged at the rate of \$2.59 per 100 cubic ft.

All customers are billed for sewer based on the amount of water used each quarter. Unmetered sewer rate is \$68.80 per quarter in the City and \$85.85 per quarter outside the City.

Private Fire Protection Charges - Effective April 1, 2015

This service is for unmetered connections to the main for the purpose of supplying water to private fire protection systems such as automatic sprinkler systems, standpipes, (where same are connected permanently or continuously to the mains) and private hydrants.

2 Inch or Smaller Connection	\$ 12.00
3 Inch Connection	22.50
4 Inch Connection	37.50
6 Inch Connection	75.00
8 Inch Connection	120.00
10 Inch Connection	180.00
12 Inch Connection	240.00

Charges For Turning On Service

Turn on valve at curb (includes meter installation if needed)	
During Normal Business Hours	\$60.00
After Hours	100.00

Lateral Connections

- 1" Water Lateral ConnectionBased on Time & Materials
- 1-1/2" or Larger Water LateralBased on Time & Materials

Missed Appointment Fees

During Normal Business Hours	\$60.00
After Hours	100.00

Miscellaneous

Payments Not Honored by Financial Institution	\$40.00
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