

CITY OF Wausau WORKS FOR YOU



SUMMER 2023



Thank You Wausau!

By Robert Barteck, Fire Chief

In 1863 the United States Hotel at Big Bull Falls caught fire, leaving occupants barely enough time to escape, saving nothing but their lives. In the following years, more fires occurred, burning dwellings and shops, which stirred community conversations about organizing a fire company. In 1869, both the Daniels and Corey sawmills burned. In response, village leaders organized Volunteer Fire Company No. 1, and a hand pump was purchased. H. H. Lawrence was appointed as the first Fire Chief.

Wausau has drastically changed in the 153 years since, and so have the responsibilities of the Wausau Fire Department. Today Wausau Fire does a lot more than just put out fires. 90% of our annual call volume is EMS calls, with the remaining 10% divided between technical rescue, water rescue, HazMat, and fire suppression. Today's firefighters are highly educated and trained in a large cadre of disciplines to prepare them to respond to all types of emergencies. When not responding to calls firefighters spend their days training on the policies, equipment, and skills needed to perform the job at the highest level.

Keeping up with the ever-changing emergency response needs of the community is difficult but rest assured that the Wausau Fire Department is a progressive organization using evidence-based, data-driven decision-making to steer policy and programs. In recent years the city has invested in new fire apparatus, ambulances, state-of-the-art EMS equipment, technical rescue equipment, replaced Station Two with a beautifully modern facility, and added 12 new firefighter/paramedic positions.

While we celebrate and embrace our 153 years history, our focus is on the future of this community and innovating preparedness solutions. For example, we are entering the final phase of becoming accredited through the Commission on Accreditation of Ambulance Services. Once completed, we will be only the third ambulance service accredited by CAAS in Wisconsin. Additionally, we just received news that we are the recipients of the 2023 Safety Leadership Award from the Wisconsin State Fire Chief's Association. This award was based upon our program led by our Athletic Trainer to decrease injuries by increasing the functional strength of new firefighters.

At the core of Wausau Fire's successes is our staff. Men and women have devoted their lives to serving others in their greatest time of need. Every day citizens call for help, and when well-educated, skillfully trained, physically fit, and compassionate firefighter/paramedics arrive, they bring hope to those in need. Serving alongside these selfless servants has been the pinnacle of my career. After 33 years of serving as a firefighter, my passion for this trade has never been greater, which made my decision to retire extremely difficult. I am confident that the time has come to hang up my helmet and begin the next chapter of my life. I have given the Mayor and the Police and Fire Commission notice that I will retire on December 15, 2023. This will allow plenty of time to select and appoint the next Fire Chief before my departure.

Thank you Wausau, for making the last five years of my career the best they could be. I am eternally grateful.

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.

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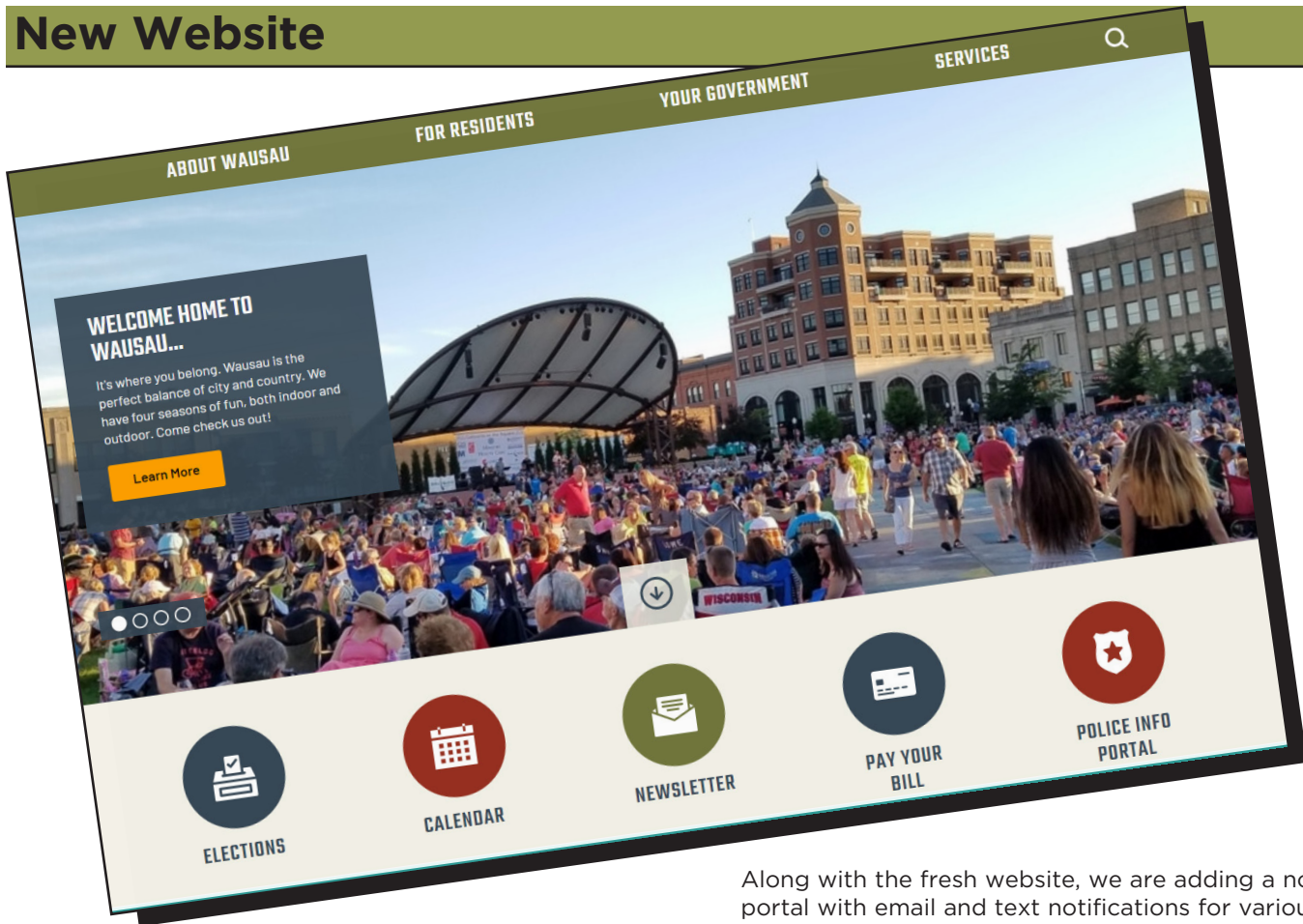
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City Hall

407 Grant St.
Wausau, WI 54403
715-261-6500
General Hours: M-F, 8-4:30

New Website



The City of Wausau has developed a new website that will be published in the very near future! There will be a much simpler web address - www.WausauWI.gov. In addition to the updated look, there is a new service finder that will help you get to what you are looking for faster!

Along with the fresh website, we are adding a notification portal with email and text notifications for various topics like local election news, property tax reminders, pet reminders, traffic bulletins, snow/weather emergencies, community block grant applications, and more.

We anticipate the new site going live on June 28th, so be sure to check it out.

Newcomer's Corner

If you are new to Wausau, here are some things that are handy to know, before you learn the hard way...

- Wausau has a limit of 2 dogs and/or 3 cats per household. A permit can be obtained if you have more. All cats and dogs must be licensed. Chickens can be kept with a permit.
- Building permits are required for most home improvements—call before you start a project!
- Garbage and recycling pick up is included in the property taxes. All residences are issued bins. Consult the schedule on our website to find out your pick up day.
- Backyard fires are allowed only by permit, which can be applied for at City Hall.
- Overnight parking follows an even/odd date schedule all year long. See the police dept. website for details.
- Sidewalks need to be cleared of snow and ice within 24 hours. There are blue barrels for sand throughout the city that you can help yourself to for your slippery sidewalks. Snow is not to be shoveled into the street.
- During a major snowfall, a snow emergency may be declared, which means absolutely no parking on the street, even if you don't have driveway space.
- Water bills are sent quarterly, so it can take some time to get your first one (homeowners.)
- There is a curfew for those under the age of 16 between midnight and 6 am.





4TH JULY, 2023 @ 9:30 PM

Display Shot From WAUSAU DOWNTOWN AIRPORT

Additional Details

- Wausau Downtown Airport will not be open for spectator viewing.
- Firework display will only contain fireworks visible at longer distances.

FestivalFoodsFireworks.com

Partnering Communities

This section contains five logos for partner communities. From left to right: 1. Town of Rib Mountain: A green mountain and trees logo with the text 'TOWN OF RIB MOUNTAIN' and 'Where Nature, Family & Sport Come Together'. 2. Village of Weston: A circular logo with 'THE VILLAGE OF Weston' and a tree. 3. City of Schofield: A logo with 'HOME City of Schofield' and a sun/moon graphic. 4. Village of Rothschild: A circular logo with a stylized 'R' and a star, with 'VILLAGE OF Rothschild' text. 5. Wausau Wisconsin: A logo with 'WAUSAU WISCONSIN' and a city skyline graphic.



We are excited to announce that the Wausau Fire Department has been unanimously selected to receive the 2023 Wisconsin State Fire Chiefs Association (WSFCA) Safety Leadership Award!

We are being recognized specifically for our programs developed by Traci Tauferner, Athletic Trainer from Advanced Physical Therapy and Sports Medicine, to decrease injuries and increase the functional strength of firefighter/paramedics. For example, over the last year, Traci has documented an 82% increase in functional strength in 18 newly hired firefighters within the first three months of joining the department through participation in her program. She also works with staff through strains and pains for more rapid recovery and reduction of further injury. The programs that Traci offers to our staff have profoundly positively impacted the lives and well-being of our firefighters. We are excited that her work and the participation of our staff are being recognized at a state level. Wausau is again leading the way in pioneering new and inventive programs, and this program will now be a model for others to follow. (The selection criteria is to the right.)

Safety Section's Safety Leadership Award

The WSFCA Safety Section's Safety Leadership Award supports the National Fallen Firefighter Foundation (NFFF) and United States Fire Administration (USFA) initiatives to reduce firefighter injuries and Line of Duty Deaths (LODDs). The award is presented annually at the WSFCA conference.

Selection Criteria: In order to receive the Safety Leadership Award, the department must have experienced a significant and verifiable effort to improve firefighter safety during the past year. Efforts should be aligned to at least one of the NFFF's 16 Firefighter Life Safety Initiatives. The comprehensive nature of the safety program will be evaluated during the selection process, as well as the individual departmental impact of the efforts.

Examples of efforts that would represent strong candidates include (but are not limited to):

1. Evidence of significant cultural change within a department.
2. Improvement and increase in training and certification levels.
3. Improvement of response policies based on state and national standards.
4. Championing public education as a critical fire and life safety program, advocacy of code enforcement, and home fire sprinklers.
5. Programs and processes providing psychological support to firefighters and families.
6. Implementation of technology to improve firefighter safety.
7. Improving driver/operator training and safe vehicle operations, including zero collisions or vehicle related incidents during the past year.
8. Improving personal and organizational accountability for health and safety.
9. Integration of risk management with incident management.

Eligibility: Applications must be made on behalf of a fire and emergency services organization, by a member of the organization, or by another individual familiar with the organization and safety effort. The application must be signed by a chief officer of the organization.

Application Process: Applications for the Safety Leadership Award will be solicited in advance of the WSFCA conference in a call for applications, and evaluated by the WSFCA Safety Section membership. The selected award winner will receive the award at the annual WSFCA conference, presented to representatives of the department.

Fireworks Safety

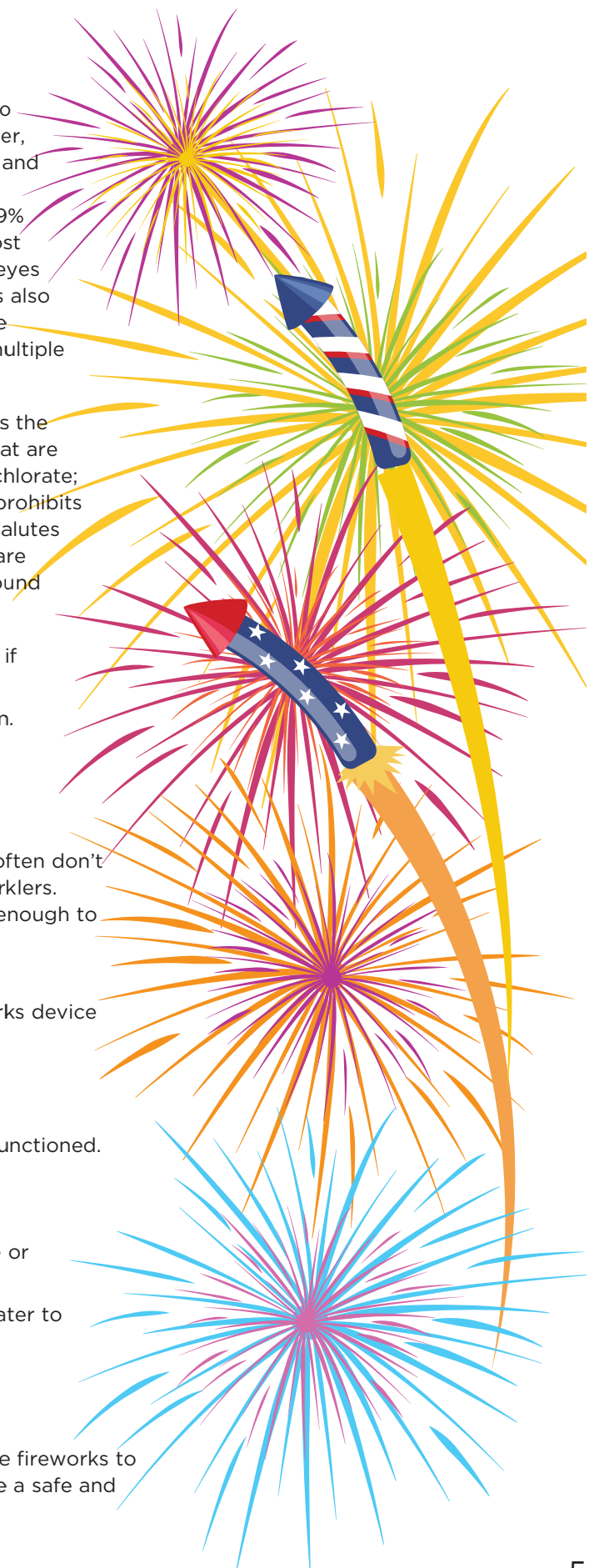
The Fourth of July can be a fun time for friends and families but the Wausau Fire Department would like to encourage everybody to keep safety in mind. Fireworks and celebration seem to go together, especially at this time of the year, but fireworks can be dangerous and cause injury and even death. In 2021 nearly 11,500 Americans were treated in emergency departments for fireworks-related injuries, 29% or them children younger than 15 years of age. Burns were the most common cause of injury with most of the injuries affecting hands, eyes and head. Although many times it is not a consideration, fireworks also contribute to the threat of wildland fires, structure fires and vehicle fires. The consequences of these fires include numerous deaths, multiple injuries and millions of dollars in direct property damage.

Wisconsin State statute section 167.10 allows consumers to possess the following fireworks: cylinder fountains, cone fountains, sparklers that are less than 36 inches and containing no magnesium, chlorate or perchlorate; small smoke devices and snakes containing no mercury. This law prohibits firecrackers, wheels, torpedoes, skyrockets, roman candles, aerial salutes and bombs. A commonly used "rule of thumb" is that consumers are not allowed to possess any fireworks that explode or leave the ground without a permit.

The following are tips to keep your Fourth of July celebration safe if you choose to use fireworks:

- ✓ Make sure the fireworks are legal before buying or using them.
- ✓ Always purchase fireworks from a reliable, legitimate source.
- ✓ Always read and follow label instructions.
- ✓ Never allow children to play with or ignite fireworks.
- ✓ Adults should always supervise fireworks activities. Parents often don't realize that there are many injuries to children caused by sparklers. Sparklers burn at temperatures of about 2,000 degrees; hot enough to melt some metals.
- ✓ Never experiment with homemade fireworks.
- ✓ Never have any portion of your body directly above a fireworks device when lighting the fuse.
- ✓ Always light fireworks on a hard surface.
- ✓ Maintain a safe distance immediately after lighting.
- ✓ Never try to re-light or pick up fireworks that have not fully functioned.
- ✓ Light only one item at a time and then move back quickly.
- ✓ Never point or throw fireworks at another person.
- ✓ Keep a bucket of water or garden hose handy in case of fire or other mishap.
- ✓ After fireworks are completely spent, douse with plenty of water to prevent trash can fires.
- ✓ Make sure your outdoor area is safe for the use of fireworks.
- ✓ Alcohol and fireworks do not mix.

The best way to prevent injuries caused by fireworks is to leave the fireworks to the professionals. The Wausau Fire Department wants you to have a safe and happy Independence Day.



Inspections



Reminders For Garage Or Estate Sales

- Permits are not required for them.
- Signs are not permitted within the right-of-way.
- Shall only occur during daylight hours and shall not be held more than 4 days in duration.
- Shall not be held more than two times in any 30-day period.
- Shall be held a maximum of only four times in any 12-month period.



Street Light Maintenance

Report a street light problem and help keep our streets lit and safe.

If you notice a streetlight that is not functioning properly, please do the following:

- For a wood pole, write down the number and call WPS at 800.450.7240 or access their website at www.wisconsinpublicservice.com to report the issue online.
- For a metal city street light or traffic signal, call our office at 715.261.6780 or email inspections@ci.wausau.wi.us to give us the location and/or corner of the intersection.



Trash & Recyclable Containers

Trash containers, recyclable containers and trash shall not be set out for collection any sooner than 3:00 p.m. of the day before pickup, and all containers shall be removed from the curb side/boulevard area by 11:00 a.m. of the day after pickup.

Between pickups, trash and recyclable carts should be stored in a garage or shed or kept behind or on the side of the house. Containers cannot be stored at the front of the house or on a corner lot side yard.



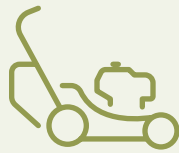
Residential Swimming Pool Requirements

A plumbing permit must be secured prior to the construction of a residential swimming pool with a depth of 36 inches or greater.

A site plan, showing where the proposed pool, fence, and deck (if applicable) will be located on the property in relationship to all lot lines and buildings, including the height of the pool, shall be submitted with the application for permit. Additional permits for fencing, decks, and electrical work are required, if applicable.

Pools that are not enclosed within a permanent building shall be completely enclosed by a fence of sufficient strength to prevent access to the pool. Swimming pools must have some filtration system to assure proper circulation of the water and to maintain proper bacterial quality.

Please refer to Wausau Municipal code Section 23.06.42 Swimming Pool Standard for complete ordinance requirements.



Keeping A Safe & Healthy Community

City residents take great pride in maintaining their property. Lawn care is an essential task in keeping in compliance with city ordinances.

- Lawns shall be maintained to a height not to exceed 12 inches. Landscaping shall be maintained so as not to present hazards to adjoining properties or to persons or vehicles traveling on public ways. Property owner maintenance responsibilities include the boulevards and along alleyways.
- Exterior areas shall be maintained in a clean and sanitary condition, free from any accumulation of items, garbage, debris, yard waste.
- Yard waste cannot be placed on the Right-of-Way, including the alleys, boulevards, gutters, and streets.
- Dog/animal excreta must be picked up in a timely manner, to minimize health hazards.

Furniture, not intended for outdoor use, is not allowed on yards or open porches.



Construction Remodeling Projects

Our inspection department wants your project to be a success and will help you avoid potential problems that could cost you time and money. On-site inspections will be required to make certain the work conforms to the permit, local codes, and plans.

Discuss your plans with the inspections office before beginning your project to determine whether you need a permit. Even if a permit is not needed, the inspector can answer questions and provide valuable advice.

A complete list of permit requirements is available on-line at: www.wausauwi.gov

The inspectors are in the office from 8:00-9:00 AM and 12:00-1:00 PM, M-F, to review plans, issue permits and answer questions. The remainder of the workday, they conduct on-site inspections. If these times are not convenient for you, contact the department at 715.261.6780 or inspections@ci.wausau.wi.us. The general office hours are 8:00-4:30 Monday-Friday.

2023 FOUR-YEAR VOTER RECORD MAINTENANCE



If an elector:

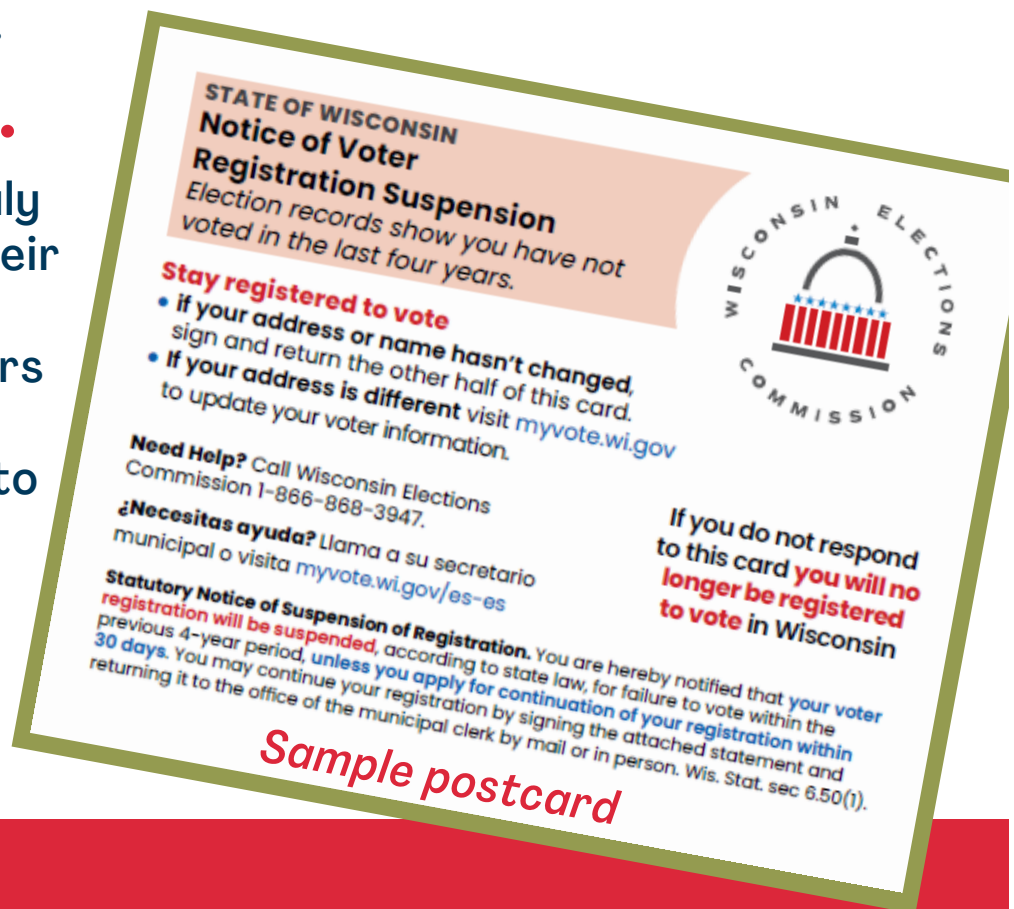
- was an active registered voter in the State of Wisconsin, and
- originally registered to vote on or before December 31, 2018, and
- has not voted in any election after December 31, 2018

YOUR VOTER REGISTRATION IS SUSPENDED.

You will be receiving a postcard to continue your registration, or can update your address at myvote.wi.gov.



Voters have until July 15 to respond, or their voter record will be deactivated. Electors would have to re-register to be able to vote in the future.



Wisconsin State Law requires a 4-year maintenance after each General Election to update the voter list and improve data quality.

If you have any questions or concerns about the maintenance process please call 715-261-6620. To view your voter status, please visit myvote.wi.gov

Community Development

Wisconsin liquor licenses run from July 1 - June 30. The City of Wausau issues licenses for establishments and operators to help protect the public. Here is a snapshot of our 2023 licenses:

- 72 Class B Beer & Liquor licenses**
Can sell beer & liquor for on or off-premise consumption (bars)
- 32 Class A Beer & Liquor Licenses**
Can sell beer & liquor for off premise consumption (convenience & grocery stores)
- 14 Class A & B Beer Only licenses**
Can sell beer only for off premise consumption (A), or on premise consumption (B)
- 1 Class B Winery license**
Can sell wine by the glass and sell wine in unopened containers for off-premise consumption
- 5 Class B Beer & Class C Wine licenses**
Can sell beer for on or off-premise consumption and wine by the glass (restaurants only)
- 295 Operator licenses**
Any person 18+ who is serving or selling alcohol beverages must have a license, or be under the direct supervision.

Liquor laws are regulated by Wisconsin statutes and the Wausau municipal code. For questions about licensing, please call 715-261-6620 or email clerk@ci.wausau.wi.us.

Financial Wellness Conference

WHEN
October 14, 2023
8am Registration & Light Breakfast
830am-130pm Classes & Lunch

WHERE
N.T.C. Center for Health Services
1000 W Campus Dr., Wausau, WI

The Nonprofit Financial Wellness Conference is a no-selling event that provides unbiased and high-quality education on many personal financial topics. Featuring 15 different classes, including several NEW Topics such as Credit Repair, Budgeting, Career Choices, Educational Opportunities, Medicare and Budget Care Tips and Enrollment Options, Banking FAQs, *and much more!*

"INVEST" IN YOURSELF AND START SECURING YOUR FINANCIAL FUTURE!

ALL AGES ENCOURAGED TO ATTEND!

CONFERENCE FEATURES

- > Free Light Breakfast!
- > Free Boxed Lunch
- > 15 Personal Financial Classes!
- > Inspiring Keynote Speaker!
- > NTC Campus Tour!
- > Age-Appropriate Instruction for Youth Attendees.
- > Free Childcare!
- > Free copy of credit report with score and an opportunity to work with a volunteer credit expert to help read the report.

COST

- > \$2 Early Registration
- > \$4 At the Door
- > FREE for Kids Under 18

SPONSORS

INFORMATION
City of Wausau
Community Development
715-261-6680
Asset Builders
608-663-6332

WAUSOME!

UPDATES!

Stay connected to your community by subscribing to Wausome's Newsletter!



THE WAUSOME NEWSLETTER

Look Wausome & show your Wausau pride by ordering some Wausome swag!



Follow Wausome on Facebook! (And stay in the loop about our new website!)





Suckers and Watersprouts on Boulevard Trees

Have you ever noticed how certain species of trees can't seem to decide if they want to be a tree or a shrub? No, I'm not referring to a hybrid or some other genetic variation where different plants are exhibited from the same root stock. I am speaking of the dreaded SUCKER.

Suckers, originating from the base of a tree and watersprouts, originating from a latent bud in the trunk can be quite a nuisance or even a hazard if allowed to grow too large. These adventitious branches are prolific growers and not only become difficult to mow around, but can become a visual obstruction while exiting driveways or approaching stop signs.

Although pruning of boulevard trees is prohibited by Chapter 12.56 of the Wausau Municipal Code, removal of suckers is permitted and even encouraged. Some species (linden/crabapple/pear) often produce suckers annually, and removing the new shoots can be a quick and easy way to prevent issues in the future. These new shoots are often about the size of a pencil and can be removed with a pruning shear.

Please refer to the picture to understand the distinction between suckers (originating at the base), watersprouts (small shoots from the trunk), and low branches. Low branches are off limits for residents to prune.

If these suckers have gotten too large and need to be addressed by our staff please don't hesitate to contact us at parkforestry@marathon.wi.us or (715) 261-1550.

Wausau Tree Inventory

Did you know that Wausau has a tree inventory? Did you know it is available for every resident to access? The Wausau/Marathon County Parks, Recreation & Forestry Department utilizes a web-based tree inventory named TreeKeeper which is maintained by the Davey Resource Group. TreeKeeper houses information about trees in the city's rights-of-way. The Forestry Department uses this data every day to make management decisions for the urban forest.

To access the program, enter the following into your browser: wmparkswi.treekeepersoftware.com

You will be logged in as a guest and can view information about each of the sites. To use, you can zoom into areas of the map or type in an address in the upper left search box. From the menu along the left side of the screen you can add satellite imagery, view the eco-benefits of the urban forest or even see the whole city species composition. Once you locate a site you would like to view, click on the circle (or square). A new information box will come up showing you site and species information. We invite you to search our city parks and find the fruit orchards we have recently been planting for resident's use!



The data in the inventory is due for update. 2023, the Forestry Department received an Urban Forestry Grant from the State of Wisconsin Department of Natural Resources to conduct an inventory update. Updated data is critical for the Department to be able to continue to manage the urban forest into the future. With this funding we were able to hire two summer interns

who are currently out viewing each tree. They are updating species, size, condition among other attributes. Feel free to say hello to them - they are both students at the University of Wisconsin - Stevens Point pursuing degrees in forestry.

John Kahon III
City Forester



Secure Your Vehicles

As we roll into summer it is more common for people to operate their vehicles with the windows open. Please remember to close your vehicle's windows and lock the doors before leaving your vehicle unattended. Unfortunately, Wausau neighborhoods will occasionally experience a spate of vehicle break-ins that impact several households. Whether you are enjoying an event in Wausau's downtown area, parked on a city street, or even in your own driveway, it is common for an unlawful opportunist to enter unsecured vehicles. Removing valuables from your vehicle or hiding them from view will also minimize the likelihood of becoming a victim. You may also consider installing a motion-activated light on the exterior of your residence to deter would-be thieves from entering your vehicle.



In addition, if you see suspicious activity occurring in the city of Wausau, please call to report the information to the Wausau Police Department. Even if nothing was taken during an unauthorized entry into your vehicle, your information may help officers clear up numerous other incidents. We at the Wausau Police Department hope everyone enjoys the summer of 2023!



Each year, millions of Americans fall victim to fraud and identity theft. Often, these online or telephone scams and schemes, fraud, and even some instances of identity theft involve foreign actors and/or unwitting participants.

This presents jurisdictional problems for local law enforcement and unfortunately, many cases have extremely low solvability rates. As such, not all incidents of fraud require a local police report. To help you determine how to report and recover from fraud or identity theft, follow these 3 steps, which you will find more information about on the back side of this handout.

Seeking Volunteers

The Wausau Emergency Police Unit is seeking volunteers to give their time to protect the community. This unit assists the Wausau Police Department during major functions where traffic control and extra security is necessary and is on call to assist as needed during an emergency.



The unit is comprised of volunteers from various communities. Members of this unit assist at Wings Over Wausau, the Hmong Festival, Wisconsin Valley Fair, Festival of Arts, and numerous

parades! The unit is also ready for any emergency, such as: storms, floods, or any other incident where the police may need additional staffing for scene security and crowd control. Wausau Emergency Police have training at various times of the year and work hard to be ready. The current director is Larry Jaeger, and the deputy director is Scott Dauel. The police liaison is Lieutenant Jillian Kurtzhals. There are three squads and twenty volunteers. As in any volunteer organization, we are always looking for new recruits. A candidate must be 18 years of age and pass a background check.

To learn more about the Wausau Emergency Police Unit, contact Lieutenant Kurtzhals at 261-7988. Applications can be found on our website or picked up at the Wausau Police Department.

1 Gather Information

2 Report

3 Recover

1 Gather Information

Gather all pertinent information about the incident including information about yourself and about what happened, including account numbers, known suspects, and other documentation.

2 Report

If the incident you wish to report does not involve actual financial loss and the suspect is unknown, we encourage you to file a report with the Federal Trade Commission, in lieu of making a report to the Wausau Police Department.



To report a scam or other fraud, visit:

reportfraud.ftc.gov

To report identity theft, visit:

identitytheft.gov

If your case involves a known suspect or actual loss of money, contact the Wausau Police Department to speak with an officer.

Wausau Police 715-261-7795

3 Recover

Browse recovery steps and receive a personal recovery plan by visiting:

identitytheft.gov



Public Works

City Of Wausau

Clean It Up, Wausau! Large Item Drop-Off

Friday & Saturday,
September 22-23 • 9am – 5pm

Location: East end of E. Chellis Street - Near the Yard Waste site



FRIDAY & SATURDAY ONLY	9:00
September 22nd, September 23rd	A.M.
CITY OF WAUSAU RESIDENTS ONLY(*proof of residency required*)	TO
Town of Rib Mountain taxpayers - this service does NOT include you.	5:00
	P.M.

ACCEPTABLE ITEMS
Bathroom plumbing fixtures
Cabinets
Carpeting
Chairs
Concrete chunks (small amount)
Countertops
Furniture
Gasoline engine equipment - gas and oil removed
Grills (propane tanks removed)
Hot tubs
Lawn mowers - gas and oil removed
Long boards (that do not fit in a garbage container)
Mattresses
Metal
Plastic childrens' toys (to large to fit in garbage dumpster)
Pool tables
Remodeling waste - insulation, fiberglass (small amount)
Sinks
Snow blowers - gas and oil removed
Sofas / couches
Tables
Toilets
Vacuum cleaners
Wash tubs
Water heater
Weed Eater - if the unit is gas, gas and oil removed

ITEMS ACCEPTED
Appliances (examples) :
FEE TO DISPOSE OF ITEM THAT CONTAINS FREON (Call DPW after the 1st of September for the cost) Air Conditioner, Dehumidifier, Refrigerator, Freezer
* NO CHARGE ITEMS*-Microwave, Dishwasher, Dryer, Humidifier, Stove, Washer
If your appliance is gently used and in working condition - it can be donated to Habitat for Humanity's Recycled Building Materials Facility
OR if in NON working order- Contact: Alter Metals, Wellers Salvage, Yaeger's or other salvage scrap vendors

Electronics (examples) :
*FEE TO DISPOSE OF - *based on weight*
TV's, Computer monitors, Computers, Laptops, Keyboards, Cameras & Recorders with video display, DVD & VCRs, Printers, Scanners, Fax machines, Cell phones with video display Contact Good News Project, Helping Hands Recycling or Wellers Salvage

TIRES - (CASH ONLY) no credit cards accepted
Under 22" - \$5.00
22" and Over - \$10.00

The City of Wausau Department of Public Works facility is monitored by video surveillance, a citation will be issued to those who intentionally dispose of unacceptable items at their facility

ITEMS THAT ARE NOT ACCEPTED AT THE CITY'S DROP OFF SITE
NO HOUSEHOLD GARBAGE and/or items in an enclosed bag
PAINT - can be dried by opening the cover to let dry, or use cat litter and place within your normal garbage container provided by Harters.
Cardboard, Plastic containers - can be placed bi-weekly in a container provided by Harters

Marathon County Hazardous Waste Facility - Located at the Marathon County Landfill
NOTE -you need to make an appointment at least 1 day in advance there may be fees associated with specific items
715-446-3101 ext. 100
Aerosol paint cans with paint in it (empties can be recycled)
Antifreeze
Ballasts, fluorescent bulbs, tubes
Cleaning solvents, degreasers, drain cleaners, oven cleaners
Dry cleaning fluids
Ether, fuel
Floor / furniture polish
Fungicides, herbicides, insecticides
Gun cleaners
Hobby materials / chemicals
Metal cleaners
Mildew cleaners
Oil / or any gas mixtures exceeding 5 gallons
Paint (oil based), thinners, turpentine, varnish
Photography chemicals

SHARPS ARE ACCEPTED AT THE LANDFILL
- put them in a commercial sharps disposal container, or in a heavy plastic detergent or bleach bottle with a screw-on cap for sealing tightly.
NO MILK JUGS OR OTHER THIN PLASTIC
- Do not separate the needle from the syringe -
LABEL THE CONTAINER WITH 'BIOHAZARD', INFECTIOUS WASTE / SHARPS & DO NOT RECYCLE.

Look for acceptable and non-acceptable items via City newsletter or the City's website: www.wausauwi.gov



CITY OF WAUSAU
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PRSR STD
U.S. POSTAGE
PAID
Permit No. 600
Wausau, WI

Mayor

Katie Rosenberg
407 Grant St
715-261-6800
katie.rosenberg@ci.wausau.wi.us



City Council Representatives

All mail for Alderpersons
can be sent to:
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**Summer
EVENTS**



**Summer Ale Trail
Friday, June 23rd 5-8pm
Wausau River District**

Purchase a ticket and follow our ale trail to sample beer varieties inside the district businesses. In addition, you can take advantage of exclusive deals for the event.

**Sidewalk Sales
Saturday, June 24th
Wausau River District**

Get the best deals of the summer from your favorite downtown retailers. One day only!

**Exhibitor
Saturday, August 12th 5-8pm
Wausau River District**

Wausau's first and only Art and Wine walk. Enjoy wine samples with the purchase of a ticket while visiting pop-up art exhibits within district businesses. Artwork is juried and from artists around the country. Don't miss this signature annual event!

**Dining on the Street
Wednesdays, June 7-Aug. 30
5-9pm | Downtown Wausau**

Enjoy Dining al fresco while enjoying the music from Concerts on the Square.

**Wausau Night Market
June 15, July 20 & August 17
5-9pm | Downtown Wausau**

Joins us for a fun night with a mix of local makers, farmers, live music, sidewalk dining, and extended hours at your favorite retailers. In addition, attendees can purchase beer at our stand and walk around the event.