

Village of Dane

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IN THE NEWS

- The village is switching Garbage and Recycling service providers, remember the new pick up day will be Thursday after January 1st.
- **Want to be kept up to date on what is happening in the village? Email villageofdane@charter.net to sign up for the email updates.**
- The members of the plan commission have been appointed. If you would like to participate in the planning of future village development attend the plan commission meetings.
- **The sewer rate will be increasing 6.1% effective January 1st, 2011. The new rate will be 3.92 per thousand gallons of water. The average home will see a yearly increase of \$11.04.**
- The Village of Dane is no longer publishing agendas and minutes in the Lodi Enterprise. Agendas/Minutes will be posted on the village's website, at Dane Post Office, Village Hall and Dane Lumber. These documents can also be requested at Village Hall during normal business



Garbage & Recycling



The Village of Dane contracts with Veolia for curbside pick up of trash and recyclables. Trash is picked up every Thursday and recyclables every other Thursday (see enclosed schedule). If a holiday falls on a day before Thursday, trash pick up will be Friday. **Please note that Veolia may start as early as 7 am collecting.**

Please remember to separate your recyclables from your garbage. Failure to do so may result in your trash being left at the curb.

Village staff will pick up brush, metal and appliances that do not contain Freon on the **second Tuesday of each month**. Brush must be organized with ends facing the same direction in lengths of six feet or less. A charge for labor and machine cost will be assessed for disposal of brush at a rate of \$2.12 per minute. There will be an additional charge for items picked up on a day other than the second Tuesday.

[The Dane Dandy Doers 4-H Club has a container for aluminum cans at the Town of Dane garage located at 213 W Main St.](#)

VILLAGE STAFF WILL PICK UP CHRISTMAS TREES JANUARY 4th, 11th AND 18th. Please remove lights, decorations and stands

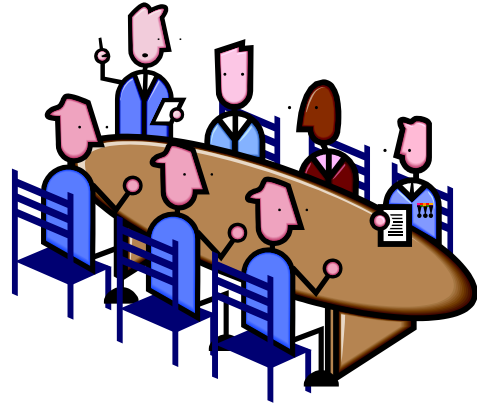
from trees or they will not be picked up. Place your Christmas tree by the curb the night before pick up. There is no charge for Christmas tree pick up.



Village Government

BOARD MEMBERS:

Steve Clemens, President	849-8215
Todd Endres, Trustee	849-5957
Jim Lord, Trustee	849-5244
Roger Schmidt, Trustee	849-8047
Don Lord, Trustee	712-4467



The Board holds regular meetings on the 1st Monday of the month at the Village of Dane Community Center, 102 W Main Street. If the 1st Monday is a holiday, the meeting is held the 2nd Monday of the month. The November meeting is held the 2nd Monday of the month. The next board meeting is scheduled for January 10th at 7 pm. Agendas are posted the Friday before the meeting at the Post Office, Village Hall, Dane Lumber and the village website.

The caucus will be held prior to the Board Meeting on January 10th, 2011. It will begin at 6:45 pm.

Plan Commission

The plan commission members were appointed on October 4th, 2010. Their first meeting was held December 9th, 2010. Their first major project will be to create a Comprehensive Plan. Meeting agendas will be posted on the website and in the designated locations. The members of the plan commission are: Steve Clemens, Jim Lord, Todd Straub, Clarence Mougins, Kevin Skinner, Joe Fleischmann, Ken Robertson and David Koenig Jr. PWD.

Village Hall Rental

Reservations cannot be made more than one year in advance (no standing reservations with the exception of non-profit groups). Only residents of the Dane/Vienna fire district can rent the hall. Deposits will be refunded if the hall is left clean and undamaged. There is no charge for not-for-profit organizations. There is a \$500 deposit to reserve the hall. The fee for a wedding is \$150. All other events are \$75.

Services Available for Seniors

Did you know that the village participates in the Waunakee Senior Center? If you are a senior and you are looking for assistance, activities, or meals please contact the Waunakee Senior Center at 849-8385 or stop in at 333 S Madison St, Waunakee or visit their website at www.vil.waunakee.wi.us.



Tax Collections

PAYMENT OF TAXES: First installments are due on or before January 31, 2011. Checks should be made payable to: Village of Dane. For your convenience, payments can be placed into the drop box at the Village office front door. Payments can also be mailed to Village of Dane, PO Box 168, Dane, WI 53529. **If a receipt is required, please enclose a self-addressed stamped envelope.**

Payments will be accepted at the Village office. The office will be closed on the following days:

Friday, December 24th OFFICE WILL BE CLOSED

Friday, December 31st OFFICE WILL BE CLOSED

Please note that payments received in the drop box over the New Years weekend will be considered as received by December 31st, 2010.

Payments postmarked on or before December 31st will be considered to be received by the end of the year.



Office Hours

The office is generally open from 8:30 am to 4:30 pm—Monday through Friday. Occasionally meetings or errands may alter office hours. You may want to call the office ahead of time, to ensure the office is open. There is a drop box in front of the building and voicemail is available 24 hours a day. Most office closures are also posted on the village website.

Dog Licenses

If you have licensed a dog in the past, an application is included with your tax bill. All dog licenses must be renewed annually [Ordinance Sec. 7-1-1] by **March 31st**. A \$20 late fee will be assess for licenses obtained after April 1.

Fees: Neutered/spayed \$10.00; unneutered/unspayed \$15.00. Send the dog license application(s), a copy of the vaccination certificate(s), and payment along with a self-addressed stamped envelope to the Village of Dane. **If you include the application with your tax payment, please write a separate check for the dog license.** Additional applications can be obtained in the village office.



Reminder: Pets are not allowed in Village Parks.

Village of Dane Ordinance 7-1-6(c)(2) requires “dogs to be on a leash and under control of a person physically able to control it when the dog is off of the owner’s premise.”

Village of Dane Ordinance 7-1-9(a) states “pet owners shall not permit fecal matter to be deposited on any street, alley, or other public or private property, unless such matter is immediately removed.” **Please pick up after your pet.** Owners said to be in violation will be cited.

Seasonal Parking and Snow Removal



SEASONAL PARKING: Effective November 15– March 15, no vehicle shall be parked or left standing on the streets between the hours of 2:00 a.m. and 6:00 a.m. Violators could be subject to parking fines and/or towing.

SNOW REMOVAL: Snow must be removed from the sidewalks within 24 hours of a snowfall. No snow is to be plowed, shoveled or blown into the street . Violators can be subject to fines.

REMINDER: Village Ordinance 10-1-20 prohibits the parking of cars, trucks, trailers and campers in the same location for more than 48 consecutive hours March 16-November 14. Violators may be subject to having their vehicle impounded.



FIRE HYDRANTS: For your protection, the Dane Fire Department asks that you keep fire hydrants clear of snow and ice.



Voter Registration and Election

VOTER REGISTRATION: Since January 2006 all voters will need to complete a voter registration form. If you haven't already, stop in the Village office and register. You will need your driver's license or Wisconsin ID number. If you do not have a Wisconsin Driver's license, you can use your Social Security number.

2011 ELECTION DATES:
February 15, 2011 - Spring Primary
April 5, 2011 - Spring Election
Polls are open 7:00 a.m. to 8:00 p.m.



Building Inspector

Applications can be picked up at Village Hall during normal business hours. The building inspector is available by APPOINTMENT ONLY.

REMODELING/ALTERATIONS: A building permit is required. Fees are doubled if work is begun prior to obtaining a permit [Ordinance Sec. 15-1-19(e)]. The Building Inspector can be reached through the Village office with any questions or call Independent Inspections at 1-800-422-5220.

Happy Holidays from the Village of Dane Board and Staff.



Becky Simpson

Clerk/Treasurer/Administrator