2024 Springdale Information & Directory

Information is subject to change throughout the year; please contact us with questions or visit springdalewi.gov.

SPRINGDALE NEWS

PROPERTY REVALUATIONS. With the rising values of real estate over the past few years, we need to have all Springdale properties reassessed in 2024. More details will be available in the spring.

TOWN HALL BUILDING. A thorough examination of our 43-year-old building by a professional engineer has shown that roof leaks over the years have caused rot in at least three trusses. More evaluation is underway, but we have budgeted \$100,000 to repair or replace the roof and defective trusses. A new ventilation system may also be required in the shop.

BRIDGE REPLACEMENT. The bridge on Town Hall Road over Schlapbach Creek is showing its age. The Board is working towards replacement in 2025. Estimated cost is in the area of \$380,000+. We are actively seeking grants now but expect we may have to borrow a good part of that sum to accomplish replacement.

1915 TOWN HALL. Thanks in part to a grant from the Mt. Horeb Community Foundation, we are pleased to have replaced the crumbling steps on the historic town hall and have installed a new front door more in keeping with the original historic appearance. We have budgeted to have the trim painted in 2024.

CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PLANNING COMMITTEE. Our Treasurer, Rebecca Boelhower-Santi, has been leading a committee to help us plan financially for replacement of capital equipment and future road maintenance. Many thanks to Rebecca, Karl Hacker, Bill Garfoot, Keith Sadler, Rod Hise, & Devin Dahlk for volunteering for this important work.

TOWN STAFF

- Administrator/Clerk: Jackie Arthur (608) 437-6230, menu option 1 adminclerk@springdalewi.gov Office hours: Tuesdays, appointments preferred
- **Deputy/Elections Clerk**: vacant (608) 437-6230, menu option **5** deputyclerk@springdalewi.gov
- **Treasurer**: Rebecca Boelhower-Santi (608) 437-6230, menu option **2** treasurer@springdalewi.gov
- Patrolman: Devin Dahlk (608) 437-6230, menu option 6 C (608) 444-5707, road hazard emergency only
- Weed Commissioner: Eric Birschbach 848-3741

TOWN BOARD

Monthly meeting: 3^{rd} Tuesday at 7 p.m.

- Chair, John Rosenbaum (608) 437-6230, menu opt. 3, chair@springdalewi.gov
- **Supervisor 1,** Wayne Hefty (608) 213-0941 Supervisor1@springdalewi.gov
- **Supervisor II,** Richard Schwenn (608) 845-7507 Supervisor2@springdalewi.gov

PLAN COMMISSION

Monthly meeting: 4th Monday at 7 p.m.

- **Chair**, Amy Jester (608) 437-6230, menu option **4**, <u>pcadmin@springdalewi.gov</u>
- Members Amy Jester, Ellen Bunn, Jim Hanson, Denise Sullivan, Kelly Altschul, Adam Carrico, and Rami Aburomia.

TAX PAYMENT OPTIONS

Please read the back of your bill for pay-in-full or installment instructions. Payments received after 1/31 are not able to be deposited by the Town and are forwarded to Dane Co.

- By Mail. Enclose your full bill in a self-addressed, stamped envelope for a receipt.
- At Lakeridge Bank. Mt. Horeb location only. Bring your full bill and have your check(s) written in the correct amount(s), including your phone number in case of discrepancies. Normal lobby hours are M-F, 9 5 PM. Drive-up only on Saturdays 9 12 PM. Bank holiday hours: 12/25, 1/1/24, and 1/15/24 CLOSED.
- **At Town Hall:** save a stamp & leave in the locked drop box, make an evening appointment, or walk-in during the following times: Monday, **Dec. 18** 10 AM- 4 PM; Friday, **Dec. 22** 10 4 PM; Friday, **Dec. 29** Noon- 7 PM & Monday **Jan. 29** 10 4 PM

You Can Help Protect Town Roads!

In the event of a road hazard, call Patrolman Devin Dahlk at 444-5707. For all other road concerns, please call 437-6230, option **6**. Springdale posts weight limits year-round; if you see a violation, please call or email with the location, time, license number & trucking company.

ASSESSOR Accurate Appraisal, LLC P.O. Box 415, Menasha, WI 54952 (920) 749-8098 http://accurateassessor.com/

BUILDING INSPECTOR

Johnson Inspection, LLC, Inspector Tracy Johnson (608) 444-0372; johnsoninspection@gmail.com

TRASH/RECYCLING

Town & Country Sanitation, (800) 626-1915, x1 swinger@TCsanitation.com, townandcountrysanitation.com Spring Cleanup – Saturday, June 8

CEMETERIES

- Calvary (St. Ignatius): Church office (608) 437-5348
- Mt. Vernon: Harland Erfurth (608) 437-6224
- Natural Path Sanctuary: Shedd Farley (608) 845-8724
- Oak Hill: Carol Statz (608) 845-9333
- Springdale Lutheran: Bob Hanson (608) 636-9533

CHURCHES

- Springdale Lutheran
- Zwingli United Church of Christ
- Mt. Horeb Kingdom Hall

SCHOOLS

- Mount Horeb Area School District: (608) 437-2400
- Verona Area School District: (608) 845-4300

PARKS

- Friends of Donald Park, Inc.
 Barb Hartman, (608) 437-5210
 www.donaldpark.org, contact@donaldpark.org
- Mt. Vernon Park Association Craig Judd, President, (608) 832-4441 Tressa Proctor, park schedule, (608) 445-7479

SENIOR CENTERS

- Mt. Horeb/SW Dane Outreach: 107 N Grove St. Lynn Forshaug, (608) 437-6902 swdaneoutreach@mounthorebwi.info
- Friends of Verona Senior Center: 108 Paoli St. Stephanie Ehle, Director (608) 845-7471

SHERIFF

Community Deputy Zach Barton, (608) 283-1519 barton.zachary@danesheriff.com Non-emergency: 255-2345

MT. HOREB FIRE/EMS

Emergency: 911 **Non-emergency**: (608) 437-5571 Burning: follow DNR guidelines; 1(888) WIS-BURN

TOWN INFORMATION

- Town Meetings. Residents are encouraged to attend monthly Town Board and Plan Commission meetings. TB meetings include a brief public comment period. For Board action on an item, please contact the Town Administrator; min. 2 week notice to have items added to the agenda. Notices and agendas are posted outside Town Hall and on springdalewi.gov. Sign up online to receive Town emails. Town Hall is accessible to all.
- **Elections.** Registration, absentee voting & more at <u>myvote.wi.gov</u> and springdalewi.gov/elections.
- Building Permits. Visit our website or contact Inspector Tracy Johnson (info on reverse).
- Yard Waste. Springdale does not operate a Town yard waste site. State law prohibits yard waste from entering landfills via the trash; contact Dane County (608) 838-9555 to learn how to dispose of yard waste.
- Town Fees. A chart of fees for Town services is available at springdalewi.gov/fees.
- Access Dane is a great resource for Springdale property owners. Available information includes assessment and property tax summaries, property values, maps, tax bills, zoning information and more.
- **Garbage and Recycling.** Each household is assessed a mandatory fee for trash and recycling which appears as a special charge on your tax bill. See insert for more information.
- **Mailboxes.** Due to the rural nature of the Town, mailboxes are occasionally damaged by thrown snow. Visit springdalewi.gov/mailbox-damage for more details and tips on preventing winter damage.
- **Dog Licenses.** State law requires every dog 5 months and older to be licensed. Licenses are only issued from Town Hall by mail or in-person. *Please make payment separate from your taxes*. To license your dog, mail the following to **Springdale Treasurer**, **2379 Town Hall Rd.**, **Mt. Horeb**, **53572**:
 - o a self-addressed, stamped envelope; a photocopy of current rabies vaccination certificate; your dog's name, gender, breed and color; and a check to the *Town of Springdale* for \$17 for each spayed/neutered dog, \$22 for each non-spayed/neutered dog. A \$5 late fee will be applied to any 2023 dog applications received after March 31, 2024. Please include the late fee with your payment.

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