2025 Springdale Information & Directory

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SPRINGDALE NEWS

UPDATE ON TOWN HALL BUILDING: In 2024 the Town needed to complete several important repairs on our 43-year-old Town Hall and shop. Three rotted trusses and one cracked truss in the shop attic required repair. A new roof was also installed, along with repairs to a support column and installation of new trim around all garage doors. Engineering work is being done now on a new ventilation system for the shop. \$100,000 was budgeted and the total bill will be near \$90,000. The board has also budgeted for added insulation in the attics above the shop and office to reduce heating costs. **SALT SHED UPDATE:** The DNR required that we replace slabs of concrete flooring in the salt shed to reduce salt infiltration into the soil. The Board also decided to expand the concrete pad on the south side of the shed to prevent salt and sand from washing into the nearby creek.

BRIDGE REPLACEMENT: The bridge on Town Hall Road over Schlapbach Creek is scheduled for replacement in 2026. The total estimated cost is \$665,000. The Town has received a state grant for \$298,000 and has applied for a county bridge grant as well. We expect that we will need to borrow a significant sum to accomplish the job.

CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PLANNING COMMITTEE: Springdale resident and former Treasurer, Rebecca Boelhower-Santi, has led a committee to help plan financially for replacement of capital needs such as 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.

MOUNT VERNON PARK: In June the Town elected to allocate \$46,500 to the Mt. Vernon Park Board to take care of needed repairs and new playground equipment. Those funds came from money received due to the Cardinal-Hickory powerline running through the Town.

TOWN STAFF

Administrator/Clerk: Jackie Arthur

(608) 437-6230, option 1 <u>adminclerk@springdalewi.gov</u> Office hours: Tuesdays, appointments preferred

Treasurer: Lisa Shatrawka (608) 437-6230, option **2** treasurer@springdalewi.gov

Patrolman: Devin Dahlk (608) 437-6230, option 6

C (608) 444-5707, road hazard emergency only

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.

Weed Commissioner: Eric Birschbach 848-3741

TOWN BOARD

Monthly meeting: 3rd Tuesday at 7 p.m.

Chair, John Rosenbaum (608) 437-6230, option **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. (except December) **Chair,** Amy Jester (608) 437-6230, option **4**

pcadmin@springdalewi.gov

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 Jan. 31 are not able to be deposited by the Town and are forwarded to Dane Co.

- By Mail. Enclose your full bill and payment in a self-addressed, stamped envelope for a receipt.
- **At Lake Ridge Bank**. Mt. Horeb location only. Bring your full bill and your check written in the correct amount (*written and numerical amounts must match*), including your phone number in case of discrepancies. Lobby hours are M-F, 9 5 PM. Drive-up only on Saturdays 9 AM 12 PM. Bank CLOSED for holidays: 12/25, 1/1/25, and 1/20/25.
- **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. 23** 10 AM 4 PM; Thursday, **Dec. 26** 10 AM 3 PM; Monday, **Dec. 30** Noon 5 PM; & Thursday, **Jan. 30** 10 4 PM.

Town Hall: 2379 Town Hall Rd. Mt. Horeb, 53572 (608) 437-6230 | springdalewi.gov | info@springdalewi.gov

ASSESSOR Catalis Tax & CAMA (262) 253-1142

https://catalisgov.com/tax-cama

TRASH/RECYCLING

Town & Country Sanitation, (800) 626-1915, x1 townandcountrysanitation.com
Spring Cleanup – Saturday, June 14

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

BUILDING INSPECTOR

General Engineering Company, Inspector Chris Michaels (608) 617-9632; cmichaels@generalengineering.net

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 Hayley Collins, 608-283-1520 collins.hayley@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. Minimum 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 emails. Town Hall is accessible to all.
- Elections. Registration, absentee voting & more at myvote.wi.gov and springdalewi.gov/elections.
- **Building Permits**. Permits are required for new homes, additions, remodeling, electrical upgrades, accessory buildings, decks, etc. See website for details.
- 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, 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.** Residential mailboxes occasionally sustain winter damage from thrown snow or the town plow. 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 at Town Hall by mail or in-person. Please make payment separate from your taxes. To license your dog, complete the Dog License Application Form (found on Town's website, at Town Hall or request by email) and mail the following to Treasurer, Town of Springdale, 2379 Town Hall Rd., Mt. Horeb, 53572:
 - o Completed dog license application
 - o Copy of rabies vaccination certificate
 - o A self-addressed, stamped envelope
 - A check payable to the Town of Springdale for your license fees, including any late fees for licenses received after March 31st. Dane County increased the fees as of January 1, 2025: \$22 for each neutered/spayed dog and \$31 for each non-neutered/non-spayed dog

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