

A City of Waupun publication



"End of the Trail"

*Community News* is an E-newsletter capturing key events of the City of Waupun, and the various departments within the City. The newsletter will largely focus on 10 goals identified during the June 2010 strategic planning session: 1) To Create Pool Facility in Fond du Lac County Park/McCune Beach; 2) Bike Trail – Connect Wild Goose Trail to the City (East & West Sides); 3) Consolidate Recreational Area (Sports Complex); 4) Facilitate Construction of Banquet Hall; 5) Fill the Pamida Building; 6) Streamline Process for Recruiting New Businesses; 7) Bring in Large Business/Industry; 8) 400 Block of East Main Street; 9) Promote Waupun as Excellent Community for Business & Family; 10) Work on Main Street (Empty Buildings).

You can also find helpful information from the Waupun Area School District, Waupun Area Chamber of Commerce, and local service organizations in special sections of *Community News*.

## City Meetings & Events

**9/3** – City Hall Closed

**9/4**, 7:00am – Board of Health, City Hall Conference Room

**9/4**, 4:00pm – Joint Review Board, Council Chambers

**9/11**, 4:45pm – Zoning Board of Appeals, Council Chambers

**9/11**, 6:00pm – Common Council, Council Chambers

**9/17**, 4:15pm – Library Board, Library

**9/18**, 5:30pm – Board of Public Works, Council Chambers

**9/19**, 4:00pm – Community Development Authority, Council Chambers



View meeting agendas and minutes on the city website:

[www.cityofwaupun.org](http://www.cityofwaupun.org)

## City Hall Happenings

### TREE PLANTING INCENTIVE

The Department of Public Works has set aside \$2,000 from their 2012 budget to encourage Waupun residents to plant trees in their terrace (the area between the sidewalk and street). Homeowners

will receive a \$25 rebate per tree, up to a maximum \$100 per household. There are 2 steps required to receive the rebate: 1) complete a planting permit application (attached at the

end of the newsletter) and 2) submit proof of purchase and documentation that the tree was planted in the terrace to the Department of Public Works, 201 E. Main Street.

### DEVELOPMENTS

#### Apartments

The newly-extended Mayfair Street may soon be seeing some increased activity. The Planning Commission recently granted site plan approval and the Common Council approved the zoning for two 16-unit apartment buildings to be constructed on the south side of Mayfair Street. Groundbreaking is anticipated to begin this year, with completion in 2013.



City Administrator Kyle Clark, Mayor Jodi Steger, and Mary Rens & Dave Decker of Decker Properties are standing at the site of the new apartments. Photo by Hank Snyder, Daily Citizen

**WAUPUN AREA EVENTS**

**Thursdays thru Oct,**  
4:00-7:00pm – Farmer’s  
Market, Tanner Park

**9/1,** 11am & 7pm –  
Waupun Super Pull,  
Waupun Community  
Center

**9/7** (10am-11pm) &  
**9/8** (7am-11pm) –  
Volksfest German  
Ethnic Festival, behind  
Jud-sons Bowling Alley  
in Downtown Waupun

**9/8,** 8:00am – Wild  
Goose Chase 5K & 10K  
Run, Waupun  
Community Center

**9/8,** 10am-4pm – Arts  
Around Waupun Art  
Show, City Hall  
Grounds

**9/12,** 10:30am –  
“Celebrating  
Grandparents” Story  
Time, Library

**9/15,** noon – Waupun  
Area Animal Shelter  
Pooch Parade, Marsh  
Haven Nature Center

**9/19,** 10:30am – “Color  
& Changing Seasons”  
Story Time, Library

**9/26,** 10:30am – “Fall  
Foods are Best!” Story  
Time, Library

**10/6,** 9:00-3:00 – Model  
Railroad Show & Sale,  
Wesley Center

**10/19,** 7:00pm – VFW  
Magic Show, City Hall  
Auditorium

*DEVELOPMENTS (Continued)*

**Aquatic Center**

On the August 14  
pool referendum  
votes were cast in  
favor of constructing  
a new aquatic  
facility in the Fond  
du Lac County Park.  
The next steps were

taken in the project  
when Council  
approved  
proceeding to Phase  
II, the development,  
design and  
construction  
document phase on  
August 21. A final

design and cost  
estimates for the  
aquatic facility will  
be established.  
Additional updates  
on the project will be  
provided in future  
newsletters.

**Service Organization On-Goings**

*INVITATION FROM WAUPUN ROTARY*

The Waupun Rotary  
Club would like to  
invite area business  
persons to visit us at  
Tony’s Pizza at noon  
on the second and  
fourth Thursday of  
each month. Rotary  
is a volunteer  
organization of 1.2  
million business and  
professional leaders  
united worldwide to  
provide  
humanitarian service  
and help build  
goodwill and  
peace. About  
32,000 rotary clubs in  
more than 200  
countries and  
geographical areas  
conduct projects to

address today’s  
challenges-  
including illiteracy,  
disease, hunger,  
poverty, lack of  
clean water and  
environmental  
concerns-while  
encouraging high  
ethical standards in  
all vocations. Rotary  
was founded in  
Chicago in 1905 as  
the world’s first  
volunteer service  
organization. Our  
local club hosts the  
Easter Egg Hunt,  
brings Junior  
students from  
Waupun Area  
School district and  
the Central

Wisconsin Christian  
School to participate  
as Junior Rotarians  
for an assigned  
month, serves at the  
Waupun Food Pantry  
Community Table,  
and this year served  
the Mayors Breakfast  
at the Waupun  
Festival. If you are  
looking to meet new  
professionals, have  
some fun while  
giving back to your  
community and  
beyond come  
check us out.

*DeAnn Thurmer*  
Waupun Rotarian  
2012-13 President

*WAUPUN IS THE PLACE TO BE SEPTEMBER 7 & 8!*

**Volksfest**

The 19<sup>th</sup> Annual  
Volksfest German  
Ethnic Festival is set  
to kick off next Friday  
and Saturday,  
September 7 & 8.

Volksfest-goers will  
find traditional  
German food and  
beverages, live  
music, dancing and  
more “Under the Big  
Tent” behind Jud-

sons Bowling Alley in  
Downtown Waupun.  
See the full line-up  
for this FREE event  
following the  
newsletter.



"Who Sows"

*WAUPUN IS THE PLACE TO BE SEPTEMBER 7 & 8! (Continued)*

**Wild Goose Chase**

Waupun's Wild Goose Chase 5k, 10k, and Kids Fun Run will be held the Saturday of Volksfest, September 8. The race begins at the Waupun

Community Center and travels through the beautiful Fond du Lac County Park. Registration starts at 8:00am, with races beginning at 9:00am and the Kids Fun Run

at 10:30am. Contact race director Matt Dickhut at 324-3106 or [mdickhut@waupun.k12.wi.us](mailto:mdickhut@waupun.k12.wi.us) with any questions. A registration form is attached at the end of the newsletter.

**Arts Around Waupun**

Another great event held in conjunction with Volksfest is "Arts Around Waupun" art show on September 8<sup>th</sup>. The art show is located in and around the downtown historic City Hall and runs from 10:00am to 4:00pm. The show features some of Wisconsin's best artists in their area such as pottery, jewelry, painting, garden art, photography and many more. Art Around Waupun artists from all over the state from Oak Creek to Madison to Berlin will be representing a wide range of creative, functional, and inspiring artwork. For a complete listing of artists and their specialty, please visit:

[www.waupunfineart.org](http://www.waupunfineart.org).

The best of Waupun student artwork from both the Waupun High School and the Waupun Christian Schools is another feature of the art show and will be shown in the East conference room inside the City Hall building. Be sure to bring along your kids to the "Kid's Korner", located outside the building on the South West corner of the grounds. The Kid's Korner will offer face painting done by students from Central Wisconsin Christian Schools and Waupun High School.

Along with the artists inside the historic and beautiful city hall will be featured special

entertainment from acoustic guitarist, Dan Braaksma singing many of his own music selections and also the very talented pianist, Christopher Nord, playing classical to contemporary arrangements. The entertainment is complemented by a Wine and Water Bar for show attendees just inside the front entrance of the Hall.

Waupun Fine Arts is excited to again support these many talented artists and the Arts and to bring this event to the Waupun Community. The art show and Volksfest offer much to see and do and make Waupun a destination to experience on September 8<sup>th</sup>.

**Waupun Senior Center**

310 E. Main  
324-7930

Anyone 50 or over and their spouse is welcome to participate in activities offered at the Senior Center!

**Hours:**

Monday – Friday,  
9:00am – 4:00pm

Saturday –  
Sunday, Private  
Rentals

**Activities:**

Pool, cards,  
bingo, meals &  
more!

Transportation is  
available.



Pottery by Rita Mueller



Jewelry by Lisa Shinkin



Wood Carving by Ted Vanderkin



Many of the photos and articles in Community News are submitted by service organizations, sports groups, or other individuals. Thank you for sharing your events and achievements with us! To submit information to be considered for a future newsletter, please email [michelle@cityofwaupun.org](mailto:michelle@cityofwaupun.org)

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[www.waupunchamber.com](http://www.waupunchamber.com)  
[www.waupun.k12.wi.us](http://www.waupun.k12.wi.us)



## School District Dialogue



- September 4: First Day of School!
- September 12: Late Start
- September 26: Late Start
- September 28: Homecoming Parade at 4:00pm

## Community Events

### *SUPER PULL THIS WEEKEND*

The Waupun Super Pull is set for this Saturday, September 1 at the Waupun Community Center. Shows begin at 11:00am and 7:00pm. The 11:00am show includes Wisconsin garden tractor pullers,

mini rods, 4x4 trucks, farm tractors and antique tractors. The 7:00pm show offers Wisconsin garden tractor pullers, mini rods, diesel trucks & farm tractors. Admission is \$5 for the day. Food &

beverages are provided by the Waupun Drift Jumpers Snowmobile Club. Please call Dave at 920-960-7878 or Jim at 920-539-0055 (after 5pm) with any questions.

### *DODGE COUNTY CLEAN SWEEP*

The 2012 Dodge County Clean Sweep will be held September 21 & 22. The Clean Sweep Program provides the community with an

avenue to safely and legally dispose of unwanted pesticides, household products and chemicals. For more information on the program visit

<http://www.co.dodge.wi.us/landresources/leansweep/index.html> or look through the Clean Sweep documents following the newsletter.

# PLANTING PERMIT APPLICATION

City of Waupun  
201 E. Main St.  
Waupun, WI 53963

(920) 324-7918

Name of Applicant: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone Number: \_\_\_\_\_

**1. Tree(s) to be planted:**

Number: \_\_\_\_\_ Name: \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

**2. Tree Location**

Street Name: \_\_\_\_\_

**3. Tree Size - when planted**

Height: \_\_\_\_\_ Diameter: \_\_\_\_\_

**4. Terrace Size**

Width: \_\_\_\_\_

**5. Utility Lines**

Are there any utility lines above the location to be planted? Yes  No

If yes, then tree(s) must be selected from the SMALL tree selection list

Are there any underground sewer and water lines? Yes  No

If yes, then ..."refer to ordinance

**6. Digger's Hotline 1-800-242-8511**

Has Digger's Hotline been notified? Yes  No

Curb - Gutter present? Yes  No

Sidewalk present? Yes  No

Signature of Applicant: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

**For Department Use Only:**

Approved by: \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_ Permit #: \_\_\_\_\_ 10

Number \_\_\_\_\_ Species: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

## 7.09 - TREE PLANTING.

Because of tree losses in the City due to age, disease, and storms, City residents are encouraged to plant and replace trees to provide shade, to enhance the beauty of their property, promote energy efficiency, and to provide an asset to the community. The following regulations shall apply:

- (1) The intent of this section is to regulate the planting, trimming, pruning, and removal of trees growing on public property in the City. No trees shall be planted in violation of this section of the City ordinance. All those trees shall be removed at the expense of the property owners.
- (2) No tree shall be planted within the vision clearance triangle (35 feet) as set forth in §16.02 (46m) of the Zoning Code of the City of Waupun and [within] 20 feet of any street signal and light.
- (3) No tree shall be planted within less than 10 feet from [where] a sewer main or lateral or water main or lateral exist.
- (4) No tree shall be planted within the terrace areas less than 4 feet wide along the streets of the City. Terrace shall be defined as the area between the sidewalk and the street.
- (5) Property owners shall keep all trees, bushes and shrubbery trimmed so that the limbs or branches are not less than 8 feet above the surface of a public sidewalk and not less than 15 feet above the surface of a public street.
- (6) Property owners shall remove all dead limbs and branches from trees, whether planted in the terrace or on their own property, so that such limbs and branches do not become a hazard to the health and welfare of City residents.
- (7) The property owner shall be responsible for damage caused to the sidewalk, curb, sewer main or lateral or water main or lateral by the tree or tree roots in the City lands.
- (8) All trees planted in violation of this section or limbs or branches which are permitted to grow or to remain in violation of this section, unless they have gotten a waiver as stated in §7.09 (6), are declared to be a public nuisance and shall be dealt with under the provisions of §9.02(4) of this Municipal Code.
- (9) No person shall plant, trim, prune, or remove a tree on public places in the City without first obtaining a permit issued by the Director of Public Works and/or the Recreation Coordinator. There will be no charge for this permit. No permit shall be required to cultivate, fertilize, or water trees.
- (10) Only trees reaching a mature height of 18 feet or less may be planted beneath overhead utility lines.
- (11) The Director of Public Works may refuse a tree permit on public area if the work will interfere with the safety, health, and welfare of the public, location of utilities, public sidewalk, driveways and streetlights, general character of the area in which the tree is located or proposed to be located, type of soil, or characteristics and physiological need for the genus, species and variety of trees.
- (12) There shall be a minimum distance of 35 feet between small sized trees and 50 feet between large or medium sized trees.
- (13) Small sized trees should be planted at least 5 feet from driveways and alleys and large and medium sized trees shall be planted at least 15 feet from driveways and alleys. No trees shall be planted within the vision triangle of each intersection.
- (14)

No trees shall be planted within 20 feet from utility pole, even small sized trees that are only 12 feet wide. There shall be a minimum distance of 10 feet between trees and water/gas shutoffs.

- (15) No person shall plant or grow a tree on any public place where no trees so as to be, in the opinion of Public Works Director, a traffic hazard.
- (16) All trees shall have trunks not less than 6 feet in height or 1½ inches in diameter. The genus, species and variety of trees to be planted in public areas shall be selected from the City's recommended street tree list or otherwise approved by Public Works Director or the Recreation Coordinator. The approved tree list can be obtained at City Hall.

**4-5 Ft. Terrace and/or overhead power lines**  
**SMALL TREES**  
**ACCEPTABLE TREES**

<u>Common Name</u>	<u>Scientific Name</u>
• Crabapple.....	<i>Malus</i>
	○ Golden Raindrops
	○ Purple Prince Crabapple
	○ Sugar Tyme Crabapple
• Amur Maple.....	<i>Acer ginnala</i>
• Norway Maple.....	<i>Acer platanoides</i>
	○ Globe Norway Maple

**Terrace greater than 5 ft. with no overhead power lines.**  
**LARGE TREES**  
**ACCEPTABLE TREES**

<u>Common Name</u>	<u>Scientific Name</u>
• Amur Corktree .....	<i>Phellodendron amurense</i>
• Amur Maackia.....	<i>Maackia amurensis</i>
• Autumn Brilliance Serviceberry.....	<i>Amelanchier arborea</i>
• Ginkgo.....	<i>Ginkgo biloba</i>
• Japanese Tree Lilac.....	<i>Syringa reticulata</i>
• Hackberry.....	<i>Celtis occidentalis</i>
• Hawthorne.....	<i>Crataegus</i>
• Hop Hornbeam.....	<i>Ostrya virginiana</i>
• Kentucky Coffee Tree.....	<i>Gymnocladus dioicus</i>
• Linden.....	<i>Tilia americana</i>
	○ Redmond Linden
• Little Leaf Linden.....	<i>Tilia cordata</i>
	○ Greenspire Linden
• Honey Locust.....	<i>Gleditsia triancanthos</i>
	○ Skyline Locust
	○ Shademaster Locust
• Amur Maple.....	<i>Acer ginnala</i>
• Norway Maple.....	<i>Acer platanoides</i>
	○ Almira Norway Maple
• Red Maple.....	<i>Acer rubrum</i>
	○ Autumn Blaze Maple
• Hedge Maple.....	<i>Acer campestre</i>
• Sugar Maple.....	<i>Acer saccharum</i>
• Red Oak.....	<i>Quercus rubra</i>
• Bur Oak.....	<i>Quercus macrocarpa</i>
• White Oak.....	<i>Quercus alba</i>
• Swamp White Oak.....	<i>Quercus bicolor</i>
• Callery Pear.....	<i>Pyrus calleryana</i>
• Sargent Cherry.....	<i>Prunus sargentii</i>

## 2012 Volksfest Entertainment Lineup

### Friday, September 7

10:00am-Noon	Tuba Dan
Noon-2:00pm	Steve YoungBand
2:00-3:30pm	Tuba Dan
3:30-5:00pm	Steve Young Band
<b>5:00pm</b>	<b>Tapping of the Keg &amp; Announcements</b>
5:15-6:30pm	Music Connection
6:30-8:00pm	Good Time Dutchmen
8:00-9:30pm	Music Connection
9:30-11:00pm	Good Time Dutchmen

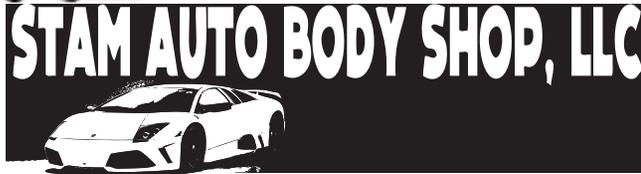
### Saturday, September 8

7:00-10:00am	Kiwanis Pancake Breakfast
7:30-9:00am	Tuba Dan
9:00am-6:00pm	Art & Craft Show
8:00am-Noon	Volkswalk (Registration on Grounds)
8:30am	<a href="#">Wild Goose Chase (at Waupun Community Center)</a>
9:00-10:30am	Carol and the Keynotes
10:00am-4:00pm	Waupun Historical Museum Open
10:00am-4:00pm	<a href="#">Arts Around Waupun Art Show (Waupun City Hall Grounds)</a>
10:30am-noon	Gary's Ridgeland Dutchmen
Noon-1:30pm	Carol and the Keynotes
1:30-3:00pm	Gary's Ridgeland Dutchmen
3:00-5:00pm	Jerry Schneider Band
4:00pm	Stumpf Fiddle Contest
5:00-7:00pm	Hayes Boys
7:00-9:00pm	Jerry Schneider Band
9:00-11:00pm	HAYES BOYS

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Wild Goose Chase

P.O. Box 26

Waupun, WI. 53963

## WAUPUN'S WILD GOOSE CHASE



### 5K AND 10K RUN / WALK

**SATURDAY  
SEPTEMBER 8, 2012**

**5K & 10K 8:30 AM**

**Kids Fun Runs Approx. 10:00 AM**

**WAUPUN COMMUNITY  
CENTER  
510 SPRING ST**

**SPONSORED BY THE WAUPUN  
ATHLETIC BOOSTER CLUB**

**Proceeds go to support the Waupun  
Athletic Complex**

Send in your registry form to

Wild Goose Chase  
P.O. Box 26  
Waupun, WI. 53963

Or register on race day!

## Directions to the Goose Chase



Race Director  
Matt Dickhut

920.324.3106

[mdickhut@waupun.k12.wi.us](mailto:mdickhut@waupun.k12.wi.us)

Goose Chase T-shirts to all  
pre-registered runners

### TIME SPLITS AT EACH MILE

Aid stations: Water will be provided at  
3rd mile. Water, Gatorade and snacks  
will be provided at the finish.

## TAC Certified 10K Course

START and FINISH AT WAUPUN COMMU-  
NITY CENTER. 510 East Spring Street.  
All paved roads, mostly level with some  
long easy grades.

## Entry Fee

\$20 through August 25th. \$25 thereafter

## Youth Fun Run

\$5 through August 25th.  
\$10 thereafter

Start and Finish at Waupun Community Center

Family Plan: \$1.00 Less Per Person For 3 or More In Immediate Family

Fees are non-refundable

# AGE DIVISIONS

## Age Awards

0-13	2
14-18	2
19-24	2
25-29	2
30-34	2
35-39	2
40-44	2
45-49	2
50-54	2
55-59	2
60-64	2
65 & Over	2

## AWARDS

Trophies to winners of men's and  
women's 10K and 5K. Trophies to  
winner of men's and women's 10K  
master events.

Awards to top runners in each age  
division. Ribbons to all finishers in  
Fun Runs.

PLEASE PRINT  
LAST \_\_\_\_\_ FIRST \_\_\_\_\_

AGE \_\_\_\_\_ GENDER (circle): Male Female

ADDRESS \_\_\_\_\_  
STREET \_\_\_\_\_

CITY \_\_\_\_\_ STATE \_\_\_\_\_

ZIP \_\_\_\_\_ PHONE ( ) \_\_\_\_\_

EMAIL \_\_\_\_\_

Emergency Contact # \_\_\_\_\_

T-SHIRT SIZE (circle): XXL XL L M S YL YM

Check Appropriate Event

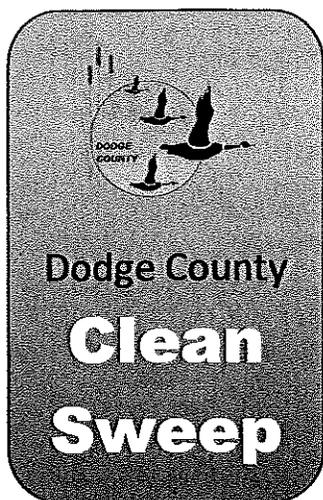
10K \_\_\_\_\_ 5K \_\_\_\_\_ Walk \_\_\_\_\_

1/2-Mile \_\_\_\_\_ 1/4-Mile \_\_\_\_\_ 1/8-Mile \_\_\_\_\_

LIABILITY WAIVER PLEASE READ CAREFULLY, UNDERSTAND & SIGN:

I KNOW THAT RUNNING A ROAD RACE IS A POTENTIALLY HAZARDOUS ACTIVITY. I SHOULD NOT ENTER AND RUN UNLESS I AM MEDICALLY ABLE AND PROPERLY TRAINED. I AGREE TO ABIDE BY ANY DECISION OF A RACE OFFICIAL RELATIVE TO MY ABILITY TO SAFELY COMPLETE THE RUN. I ASSUME ALL RISKS ASSOCIATED WITH RUNNING IN THIS EVENT INCLUDING, BUT NOT LIMITED TO FALLS, CONTACT WITH OTHER PARTICIPANTS, THE EFFECTS OF THE WEATHER, INCLUDING HIGH HEAT AND/OR HUMIDITY, TRAFFIC AND THE CONDITIONS OF THE ROAD. ALL SUCH RISKS BEING KNOWN AND APPRECIATED BY ME. HAVING READ THIS WAIVER AND KNOWING THESE FACTS AND IN CONSIDERATION OF YOUR ACCEPTING MY ENTRY, I FOR MYSELF AND ANYONE ENTITLED TO ACT ON MY BEHALF, WAIVE AND RELEASE THE WAUPUN ATHLETIC BOOSTER CLUB, CITY OF WAUPUN, COUNTY OF FOND DU LAC, THE STATE OF WISCONSIN AND ALL SPONSORS, THEIR REPRESENTATIVES AND SUCCESSORS FROM ALL CLAIMS OR LIABILITIES OF ANY KIND ARISING OUT OF MY PARTICIPATION IN THIS EVENT EVEN THOUGH THAT LIABILITY MAY ARISE OUT OF NEGLIGENCE OR CARELESSNESS ON THE PART OF THE PERSONS NAMED IN THIS WAIVER. I GRANT PERMISSION TO ALL OF THE FOREGOING TO USE ANY PHOTOGRAPHS, RECORDINGS OR ANY OTHER RECORD OF THIS EVENT FOR ANY LEGITIMATE PURPOSE.

PARTICIPANT'S SIGNATURE Parent or Guardian's signature Date required for all minor participants.



# 2012 Clean Sweep Fact Sheet

## Friday, September 21

- 10 am to 12 pm City of Juneau, Dodge County Hwy bldg., Juneau
- 3 pm to 6 pm Theiler Park, Co Hwy TW, Mayville  
(Prescription Drug Drop Off)
- 3 pm to 6 pm Hustisford Town Hall, N3906 County Rd EE, Hustisford

## Saturday, September 22

- 8 am to 12 pm Town of Trenton Highway Shop, N8856 Co Rd A, Fox Lake  
(Prescription Drug Drop Off)

<http://dodge.uwex.edu/>

Clean Sweep is a program designed to lower the environmental risks associated with improper disposal of hazardous materials and pharmaceuticals by providing the public with an opportunity to dispose of unwanted pesticides, household products, pharmaceuticals and chemicals for safe and legal disposal before they cause problems. Household materials accepted include OIL-BASED PAINTS AND PAINT-RELATED PRODUCTS, PESTICIDES & POISONS, HOUSEHOLD PRODUCTS CONTAINING ORGANIC SOLVENTS, IGNITABLES, AND AEROSOLS, and RECHARGEABLE BATTERIES. Please see the table below for disposal methods of common materials.

<b>Material</b>	<b>Disposal Method</b>
<b>Aerosol Cans</b>	
Partially full or full	BRING TO: Clean Sweep
Empty	Put in with your recyclables. Remove and trash tops and nozzles. (Full or partially full ones can be brought to Clean Sweep)
<b>Antifreeze</b>	CHECK WEBSITE: <a href="http://www.uwsa.edu/oslp/em/compliance/antifreeze.htm">http://www.uwsa.edu/oslp/em/compliance/antifreeze.htm</a>
<b>Ballasts (Electrical)</b>	BRING TO:
If they are electronic or say "No PCBs"	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Private lamp recyclers [fee charged] (see Fluorescent light Bulbs section), or</li> <li>• Throw in your trash</li> </ul>
If they contain oil and DO NOT say "No PCBs"	BRING TO: Clean Sweep
<b>Batteries</b>	
Lead and acid rechargeable batteries	BRING TO: Clean Sweep, Batteries Plus, and other places that sell them*
Button batteries	BRING TO: Clean Sweep
Alkaline, single use & other disposables (AA, AAA, C, D, 9-Volt)	BRING TO: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Batteries Plus (free)</li> <li>• Throw in your trash</li> </ul>
<b>Cell Phones</b>	BRING TO: Radio Shack, Best Buy, US Cellular
<b>Cleaners, Laundry Additives, and Other <u>WATER-BASED</u> Household Products</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Flush liquids down your sanitary sewer</li> <li>• Throw solids in your trash</li> </ul>

<b>Material</b>	<b>Disposal Method</b>
<b>Cleaners and Products that Contain Strong Acids and Bases</b> Including Photographic Fixer, Muriatic Acid, Drain Clog Removers	BRING TO: Clean Sweep
<b>Cooking Oil</b> Animal fat, solid vegetable-based oils, greases and lard	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Solidify by freezing or mixing with Oil Dry® or shredded paper, and place in a plastic bag for disposal in your trash</li> </ul>
<b>Driveway Sealer / Roofing Tar</b> Hardened, hardened with water on top, water-based semi-solid  Empty Container / Lids  Solvent-based (tar, asphalt)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• See page 4, "Disposal of Latex Paint &amp; Water-Based Driveway Sealer"</li> <li>• Throw in your trash</li> </ul> BRING TO: Clean Sweep
<b>Empty Hazardous Material Containers</b>	Recycle as appropriate or throw in your trash (no drums >5 gallons)
<b>Fertilizer</b> Fertilizer that does not contain pesticides or herbicides	Throw in your trash
Fertilizer that contains pesticides or herbicides (weed-n-feed, insect control)	BRING TO: Clean Sweep
<b>Fire Extinguishers</b>	BRING TO: <b>Hammes Fire &amp; Safety LLC</b> 1105 DeClark St. #2 West . Beaver Dam . WI . 53916 . 920-885-9333 <a href="http://www.hammesfire.com/home.php">http://www.hammesfire.com/home.php</a>
<b>Fluorescent Lamps (Bulbs)</b> Including Fluorescent CFLS, Tubes and Other Lamps (bulbs)	BRING TO: Clean Sweep
Incandescent Lamps(Bulbs)	Can be thrown in your trash or brought to a private lamp recycler.  All other bulbs should be brought to a private lamp recycler
<b>Fuels and Other Ignitables</b> Including Gasoline, Kerosene, Fuel, Oil, and Solvent-Based Driveway Sealer	BRING TO: Clean Sweep Also see " <b>Recycling Hazardous Materials</b> " on page 4 Clean Sweep DOES NOT ACCEPT propane cylinders
<b>Infectious / Medical Wastes / Sharps</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Check with your local pharmacy</li> </ul>
<b>Mercury and Mercury Containing Products</b> Including Non-Electronic Thermostats and Non-Alcohol Thermometers	BRING TO: Clean Sweep <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Clean Sweep does not accept fluorescent bulbs (See "Fluorescent Lamps" above)</li> </ul>
<b>Oil or Solvent-Based Paints</b>	BRING TO: Clean Sweep
<b>Pesticides and Poisons</b> Including Cyanide, Stump Remover, Pool Chemicals, Herbicides, Insecticides, Pet Pesticides, Weed-N-Feed or Pest Control Fertilizers	BRING TO: Clean Sweep Clean Sweep <b>DOES NOT ACCEPT</b> non-weed-n-feed and non-pest control fertilizer (see "Fertilizer" above)

## Material

### Pharmaceuticals, Unwanted Medication

### Radioactive Materials

Including Smoke Detectors

### Solvents

Including Finish Removers, Furniture Strippers, Paint Thinners, Mineral Spirits, Pastes, Polishes, Caulks That are Combustible or Flammable, Petroleum Distillates, Acetone, Toluene, Xylene

### Solid / Semi-Solid Latex Materials, Caulk, Joint Compound, Glue

### Used Motor Oil & Other Automotive Fluids (not antifreeze or gasoline)\*

Used Motor Oil

## Disposal Method

- Wait for the next Clean Sweep event to bring in for disposal. Medicines should be kept in their original containers with personal information removed / defaced.
- Pharmacies **DO NOT** accept these products
  
- Return them to the manufacturer (Smoke detectors that do not contain americium or radioactive materials can be thrown in your trash)

BRING TO: Clean Sweep

- Also see "**Recycling Hazardous Products**" on page 4

- Throw in your trash

BRING TO: - Your Local Service Garage (USED MOTOR OIL ONLY)

## **OTHER MATERIALS CLEAN SWEEP DOES NOT ACCEPT**

Tires, paper or cardboard products, yard waste, construction debris, asbestos, rubbish, glass, solid metals, solid waste, etc. Contact your local government or trash hauler for details on proper disposal.

If you are unsure about any of your household items, please call Jeff Hoffman at (920) 386-3790 or email him at [jhoffman@co.dodge.wi.us](mailto:jhoffman@co.dodge.wi.us).

Disposing of Hazardous Wastes from the Home Waste Oil and Other Automotive Products – a University of Wisconsin publication G3456

## **DISPOSAL OF LATEX PAINT & WATER-BASED DRIVEWAY SEALER**

**Latex Paint and Water-Based Driveway Sealer are NOT Hazardous.**

Dry them thoroughly with latex paint dryer, kitty litter, Oil Dry® or newspapers and trash them. However, make sure the lids are off when you set them at your curb, or place them in your **trash cart** if you have automated trash pick-up.

## **SMALL BUSINESSES (VSQGS)**

Businesses should contact Veolia ES Tech Solutions for information on how to dispose of hazardous materials. See also our website ([dodge.uwex.edu](http://dodge.uwex.edu)) for the Small Businesses (VQGS) area for more informatio.

## **HOW TO TRANSPORT MATERIALS**

Products and materials should be packaged to keep them from spilling or breaking while being transported to Clean Sweep. Leave materials in their original containers. **DO NOT MIX ANY MATERIALS.** Leaking containers may be placed, as is, in another container. Label the outside container.

## **RECYCLING HAZARDOUS PRODUCTS**

### **Dirty Thinners**

Reuse thinner and other solvents for rinsing brushes and guns. Let solids from dirty thinner, turpentine, etc. settle in the bottom of a clear container. Filter the remaining liquid through cheesecloth or an old nylon until the solvent is clear. Dry and dispose of the particles and paint chips in your regular trash.

### **Gasoline**

Gasoline drained from a snow blower, lawn mower, chainsaw, etc. that is mixed with oil may be used up in your vehicle. Check the gasoline to see if it is clear except for the color of the oil used. If clear, pour into your gas tank on a 10:1 ratio (ten gallons of new gas to one gallon of old gas). The small amount of oil in the old gas will not affect the performance of your vehicle. If your gas cannot be used in this way, bring into Clean Sweep in a container you can leave.

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