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CITY OF WAUPUN COVID-19 UPDATE: April 6, 2020

WAUPUN, Wis. April 6, 2020 – In response to the COVID-19 pandemic here are the latest updates from the City of Waupun.

Updates from the City Clerk:

ELECTION CONTINUES APRIL 7TH AT 7:00AM

Earlier today, Gov. Evers made an Executive Order to suspend the April 7th election and move it to June 9th. The decision was immediately appealed. The Wisconsin Supreme Court has ruled that Gov. Evers could not postpone the state's presidential primary, striking down his order to move the election to June over coronavirus outbreak fears.

The court ruled 4-2 that Evers lacked the authority to move the election on his own. The decision means the election will occur as originally scheduled on Tuesday.

WHAT SHOULD I EXPECT IF I VOTE ON ELECTION DAY AT THE POLLS?

Due to social distancing, this does not allow many voters in the polling area at one time. Voters will stand outside due to this. Please dress appropriately.

1. Lines are marked on the floor, providing the 6ft compliance.
2. Voting booths are closed off to provide the 6ft compliance.
3. You will be required to apply sanitizer or gloves at the beginning and the end of the voting process.
4. You will be provided with a pen for signing the poll book and marking your ballot, of which you will keep.

Reminders:

If you are experiencing symptoms or worry you may have been exposed to the coronavirus, Dodge County residents are to call 1-877-998-0022 and Fond du Lac County residents are to call 1-844-225-0147 for more direction from health officials before going to a healthcare facility.

Please remember that 9-1-1 is for emergency use only. First Responders throughout Fond du Lac County would like to remind everyone that calling 9-1-1 for assistance should be reserved for life-threatening emergencies only. Please do not call 9-1-1 for "flu-like" symptoms. Calling 9-1-1 for non-emergencies will put an unnecessary burden on an already-strained Emergency Medical System. If you have a true medical emergency, calling 9-1-1 is the right thing to do. If you have "flu-like" symptoms, please call a health care provider to discuss treatment options over the phone. Health care providers will give you recommendations for treating

your symptoms without unnecessarily tying up an ambulance and overcrowding the emergency department and hospital.

The City of Waupun continues to follow recommendations from local, state, and federal agencies to establish preemptive measures to assist in reducing the spread of COVID-19. For information from the Center for Disease Control (CDC) regarding COVID-19, please visit:

<https://www.cdc.gov/coronavirus/2019-ncov/index.html>. Information relative to the City's full response can be found www.cityofwaupun.org.

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