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City Hall Hours:
"Regular" Hours
Monday to Friday 8am to 4:30pm
Closed Saturday, Sunday and
Holidays.



"Summer" Hours
June 1 to September 6th
Mon to Thurs 8am to 4:30pm
Fridays 8am to 12noon
Closed Saturday, Sunday and
Holidays.



City Beaches Open for Season

Lifeguards will be available at three of our six beaches in Deephaven **beginning June 5th through Sunday, August 15th** for the summer season. Here is a list of beaches with information on lifeguard hours and off-street parking availability:



- **Deephaven Beach** – Lifeguards on-duty from Noon to 7:00 p.m., off street parking available.
- **Robinson's Bay Beach** – Lifeguards on-duty from 12:30 p.m. to 5:00 p.m., off street parking available.
- **Sandy Beach** – Lifeguards on-duty from 12:30 p.m. to 5:00 p.m., on street parking only.
- **Rocky Beach** – No lifeguards on-duty, limited off street parking available.
- **Nocomo Beach** – No lifeguards on-duty, off street parking available.
- **Linwood Beach** - No lifeguards on-duty, no off street parking



Dogs at Beaches

Please remember that dogs are not permitted on the sand portion of any beach in Deephaven. While we realize that it might be a special treat for your dog to romp in the sand, it's not so much fun for someone walking or playing in the sand to find the "treat" your pet left behind. Please be a responsible pet owner.

Email Alerts

You can now easily stay connected with the City of Deephaven by signing up for Email Notifications! Simply visit our website at cityofdeephaven.org, go to *About Us* and click on *Sign Up for Notifications*. There's a short form to complete and, once you hit submit, you'll receive an email to confirm your email address and then you're all set! Whatever you sign up for—newsletters, agendas, minutes, news & event announcements—you'll automatically be notified when anything in that category is posted to the website. You'll be sent a link to the new information. It's as simple as that.



2022 City Budget Review by City Council

Monday, June 21 - 2022 Budget Overview, 2022 Salaries, General Fund Revenues, General Fund Expenditures, Capital Improvement Fund, General Government, Elections, Administration, City Hall, Police, Fire, Public Works, Streets & Roads, Planning & Zoning, Parks & Recreation, Wildlife Management, 2022 Bonded Debt Fund

Monday, July 6 - Budget Review & Revisions

Monday, August 16 - Budget Review & Revisions

Tuesday, September 7 - Final Budget Review, Adoption of Preliminary Tax Levy

Monday, October 18 - Park Improvement Fund, Marina Fund, Recycling Fund

Monday, November 15 - Water Fund, Sewer Fund, Storm Water Fund

Monday, December 5 - Truth in Taxation Hearing, Adopt Final 2022 Tax Levy & Budget



Northome Bridge Project & Deephaven Beach Restroom Project

Northome Bridge Project Update – After receiving funding through the State of Minnesota in the amount of \$750,000 for the reconstruction of the Northome Bridge, plans and specifications have been submitted to the State for their review and bids are expected to be received in late July or early August. The project is scheduled for construction in the early Fall. For more information, go to www.cityofdeephaven.org, click on Government, and look under Public Works Projects.

Deephaven Beach Restroom Project Update – the Park Committee and City Council continue to work on the plans to install new restrooms at Deephaven Beach to replace the current portable restrooms. A site plan and preliminary restroom design plans are available at www.cityofdeephaven.org under Public Works Projects. If you are interested in more detailed information on the Deephaven Beach Restroom Project than what is shown on the webpage, a meeting will be held at **6:00 p.m. on July 19th at Deephaven City Hall** to review the project.

To provide your comments on either project, please feel free to email us at info@cityofdeephaven.org.

Street Improvement Plan

This year's Street Resurfacing Schedule includes Carson Road, W. Easton Road, Eastwood Drive, Hamilton Avenue, and Maplewood Road. This is the 6th year of the Street Resurfacing Plan as the City of Deephaven is focusing more attention and financial resources to the repair of City streets. The City has spent \$3,859,947 resurfacing city streets from 2015-2020. If you are interested in knowing more about the 2021 Street Improvement Project, a meeting will be held at **5:00 p.m. on July 19th at Deephaven City Hall** to review the project in more detail.

Street Overlay Improvement Schedule – The following 2022-2025 street overlay schedule may be delayed or re-prioritized depending on the availability of city funding or the comparative condition of each street:

2022 – Day Lane, Highland Avenue – the Pines, Hooper Lake Road, Jericho Road, Lake Avenue (West of Talton), Leroy Street, Lowell Street, Maple Ridge Road, Monaltrie Avenue (North of Lake), and Therese Street

2023 – Dale Avenue, Manor Road, Ramsey Road, Sibley Avenue, Walden Lane, Walden Road, and Walden Trail

2024 – Circle Drive, Heathcote Drive, Heathcote Lane, and Heathcote Road




For those residents with swimming pools, the Minnesota Pollution Control Agency has the following recommendations regarding the discharge of swimming pool or hot tub water:

- Once the water is free of chlorine, the water should be directed onto a vegetated surface to encourage infiltration,
- The discharge should not flow onto any other persons' property, the city street, or create nuisance conditions.
- If the discharge flow is to occur across bare soil areas, care should be taken to prevent soil erosion. This can be done in several ways. The flow rate can be reduced to prevent erosion by the use of a small diameter hose, or additional piping or hose can be placed over the erosive area to prevent soil/water contact, and/or sod can lie in the bare area.
- Chlorination must be stopped at least three days prior to discharge.
- **Chlorinated water should NEVER be discharged to any surface water such as a storm sewer, ditch, lake or wetland.**
- **Swimming pool or hot tub water should NEVER be discharged into the sanitary sewer. This could potentially cause of sewer backup into neighboring homes.**

Illicit Discharges

The City has a program to detect and prevent illicit discharges (oil, paint, fertilizer, pet waste, grass clippings, etc.) from entering the city's storm sewer system, ditches, wetlands, or lakes. If you observe an illicit discharge, call 911.

Discharges from sump pumps and foundation drains into the sanitary sewer system are also prohibited. If you observe an illicit sanitary sewer discharge, call City Hall at 952-474-4755.

<i>Emergency Gas Leak</i>	<i>Pedestrian Safety</i>
<p>CenterPoint Energy cautions that if the public smells, hears or sees a natural gas leak:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Leave the area immediately on foot and tell others to do the same. Do not use electric switches, telephones, cell phones, drive or start a vehicle, or do anything that would cause a spark. • Once safely away from the area, call the CenterPoint Energy emergency gas leak hotline at 1-800-296-9815 and dial 911 to report the location and description of the leak; and CenterPoint Energy will send a trained service technician immediately. <p>Never try to repair a gas leak yourself. Leave all repairs to a trained technician.</p>	<p>Warmer weather means more construction vehicles and many more people are out and about walking and riding bicycles both along the City streets and on the LRT Trail.</p> <p>PLEASE BE ALERT, drive slowly and with caution. Minnesota law requires that drivers of motor vehicles must yield the right-of-way to pedestrians and others who are crossing a street in a marked crosswalk.</p> 

Please be a respectful neighbor and make sure that your lawn is properly mowed and free of noxious weeds, and free from the unsightly storage of junk cars, boats and trailers. Deephaven residents are typically very conscientious about the appearance of their property and in being a “good neighbor”.

Please remember that the City does have specific requirements on long grass and the storage of junk cars, boats & trailers as shown below:

Section 535.04 (z) – the length of grasses commonly used in lawn areas including blue grass, fescue or rye grass blends of similar grasses shall not exceed eight (8) inches in length, excluding grasses on steep slopes or adjoining ponds, wetlands and lakes.

Section 535.04 (t) - The parking, storing, or keeping on any public or private property any motorized vehicle, including boats and trailers, which (1) has a broken, missing or defective part that is necessary for normal operation thereof; (2) is stored on blocks, jacks or other supports; or (3) does not display a license or displays a license that is 60 days or more past its required renewal date, excluding those vehicles kept within a fully enclosed garage or other building and impounded vehicles held by the City.

Help Stop the Spread of Aquatic Invasive Species

You can help protect your favorite lake from aquatic invasive species (AIS) by following these three simple steps while boating:

- **Clean** – before leaving a lake, boaters should clean all visible plants and other debris from all equipment (motors, jet skis, trailers, paddles, etc)
- **Drain** – drain any water from the boat and keep drain plugs out
- **Dry** – wipe everything dry



Disposing of unwanted bait in the trash also helps prevent the spread of invasive species.

Another way to protect your lake from AIS is by looking for invasive species when you are on or in the water. While the MCWD and its partners regularly monitor lakes for AIS, watchful residents can provide an extra layer of protection. By keeping an eye out for AIS, you can help catch any new infestation early and improve the chances for successful management.

MCWD has an early detection guide book that will give you the tools you need to identify what's invasive and what's native. The book is free and available either online at www.minnehahacreek.org/early-detectors or at the MCWD office at 15320 Minnetonka Boulevard in Minnetonka.

Help Keep Our Water Clean

- Minimize the use of fertilizers and other lawn chemicals
- Keep leaves and grass clippings out of the street
- Redirect rooftop runoff from hard surfaces such as streets & driveways to vegetated areas and lawns
- Plant native vegetation to reduce lawn watering
- Properly dispose of oil, antifreeze, cleaners, and other household chemicals
- Do not flush old medicines down the toilet.

For more information go to: www.pca.state.mn.us



4th of July Celebration in Deephaven at the Cottagewood General Store!



The 4th of July is a very special holiday for our community! Without a doubt it is our most popular event of the season.

The red, white and blue fun begins on Saturday, **July 3rd** with our Kid's Bike Decorating Event from 4:00pm to 5:00pm. Kids can swing by the store to decorate their bikes, strollers, scooters and wagons. *(there may be a small fee for decorations)*

July 4th

Plan to arrive early at 8:00am so you don't miss a moment of the patriotic fun. Parade participants follow the same route taken today as participants did during that very first parade over 50 years ago.

Children's Park is transformed into a carnival ground where kids play games for prizes and get their faces painted. There is a raffle for all kinds of great prizes and what July 4th celebration would be complete without popcorn, hot dogs grilled to perfection and ice-cold root beer. *(Some changes may be made in order to meet Covid safety requirements.)*

The Cottagewood Parade starts at 9:30 AM. Everyone is welcome, kids, grandkids, pets and friends and family from afar. We look forward to celebrating America's Birthday with you!

Can't wait to see you in Cottagewood this July 4th!

For more information please visit our website www.cottagewoodusa.com or call 952-470-8400.



July 3rd Schedule:

4:00 to 5:00pm—Kids Bike Decorating Event

July 4th Schedule:

8:00am—Pancake Breakfast
9:30am —Parade
9:45am— More Pancakes!
10:30am—Raffle Drawing



Help is Around the Corner!



Senior Community Services is a nonprofit that helps older adults and caregivers navigate aging to maintain independence and quality of life. We work with trusted professionals and volunteers in your community who are ready to stop and listen to your unique needs, helping you take care of the place you call home.

Through our Household and Outside Maintenance for Elderly (HOME) program, we now provide free Home Health and Safety Assessments. For more information, please call 952-746-4046 or visit our website www.seniorcommunity.org



Something new at City Hall. The Council will be adding an additional Police Officer to our force in 2022, or perhaps earlier. As we begin our budget discussions for the coming year, we are hoping to accomplish some shift flexibility and to provide additional training opportunities for our officers without straining our current roster. The department is also planning Deephaven's version of National Night Out again this year. Many of you have welcomed the opportunity to chat with our officers, meet your new neighbors and say 'hi' to old friends in the past, and I would like to see that opportunity happen again this summer.

The Council also approved a new flooring mat for the warming house at Thorpe. Tony Jewett and the Park Committee chose a product currently being used at the Hopkins Skating Center and we are anxious to have it installed before the skating season.

The Bathrooms by the Beach project is moving along nicely. Plans are on the web site and we hope to be breaking ground by late summer.

Paperwork and plans are being finalized for the Northome Bridge Project also, which we also hope to begin work on by late Fall.

There will be some changes at the Carson's ramp this summer. The parking lot across the street from the ramp will be paved and striped in coordination with our other street projects this year. And, a solar powered boat cleaning station is being loaned to us by Hennepin County for use at the ramp. It does not power wash, but rather vacuums debris from your boat and trailer. Our concern will be that we do not cause further congestion at the ramp while folks are trying out the new equipment, but please let us know if you like it.

Have a safe Fourth, everybody ... and don't forget to have a fun summer ... you've earned it!

Paul

Summer Hours at City Hall Since 2001, the City Council has permitted City Hall staff to switch to summer hours from Memorial Day to Labor Day to coincide with the summer hours of other lake communities. Summer hours began on June 1 and will end on September 7 with the following City Hall hours:

Monday – Thursday: 8:00 a.m. – 4:30 p.m. Friday: 8:00 a.m. – Noon

City Office will be closed : July 5th and September 6th

City Hall "Regular" Hours:

Monday to Friday 8 to 4:30 /
Closed Saturday, Sunday and Holidays.

Your City Staff:

Dana Young, City Administrator
Tracy Gustafson, Deputy Clerk
Deborah Hicks, Utility Billing, Marina Operations
Patrick Smith, Planning & Zoning Coordinator
Teresa Pendleton, Building Permits
Cory Johnson, Police Chief
Elizabeth McColl, Police Admin Assistant
John Menzel, Public Works Foreman
Sara Skalle, Woodland City Clerk

Summer Hours, June 1 to September 6th

Monday to Thursday 8 to 4:30
Fridays 8—Noon / Closed Saturday, Sunday and Holidays.



Your City Council:

Mayor: Paul Skrede

Council members:

Steve Erickson, Tony Jewett,
Kent Carlson, Melissa McNeill

Phone Numbers:

Administration & Public Works:

952-474-4755

Police Non-Emergency: 952-474-7555

24-Hour Police Dispatch: 952-258-5321

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The Deephaven City Council normally meets twice a month on the first and third Mondays at 7:00 p.m. in the Council Chambers. The Planning Commission meets at 7:00 p.m. on the third Tuesday of each month. The Park Committee meets at 7:00 p.m. on the first Tuesday of each month.

Residents are welcome to attend any or all of these meetings. Council meetings are also televised on Cable Channel 8. Channel 8 televised dates and times for City of Deephaven meetings, as well as meeting minutes, are all available on our City website www.cityofdeephaven.org