



Department of Public Works

2016 Annual Newsletter



Another season of changes! If you have not driven past where the Municipal Services Building was previously located, you may be in for a big surprise! The Municipal Services Building and site was sold and recently demolished to make way for an economic development expansion for Trilliant; they are currently erecting an addition to the building on that site. Wondering where we are? The Public Works crew's temporary location is at 900 Randolph Drive until our new facility

is completed, projected to be in the Fall of 2017.

The Village solicited proposals from engineering and construction management firms to assist the Village in finalizing a site and commencing with the design of our new facility. The Village Board selected Kueny Architects, LLC of Pleasant Prairie Wisconsin to be the architect for the project and Miron Construction Co., Inc. of Neenah Wisconsin to be the construction manager.

In other news, the Department of Public Works has filled the position of the Village Engineer. Welcome Christopher Murawski, P.E.! Chris came to the Village in October 2015. His office is located in the Village Hall along with the offices of Roy Van Gheem, P.E., Director of Public Works; Jeff Elrick, Assistant Director of Public Works; Mike McClone, R.L.S., Civil Engineering Technician; and Tim Paulson, Engineering Aide II. The remaining Department of Public Works personnel, including Marty Janssen, Streets Foreman; Tim O'Brien, Village Mechanic; eleven Street Maintenance crew members, and the Parks, Recreation and Forestry crew, work out of the temporary Municipal Services Building at 900 Randolph Drive.

Please feel free to stop by our office on the second floor of the Village Hall with your questions or concerns, or call (920) 423-3865. We will try to answer all your questions, or try to get an answer for you.

In this newsletter, you will find information on:

- Yard Waste Drop-off Site and Curbside Pickup
- Yard Waste and Freon Stickers
- Notice of Abatement of Noxious Weeds
- 2016 Hydrant Flushing Dates
- Garbage/Recycling Collection Date Changes
- Snow Plowing and Removal

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2016 YARD WASTE INFORMATION

Root Ball Disposal

Root balls are considered garbage and can be placed inside of your garbage polycart, if small enough. If it is too big for your polycart, it should be placed curbside on your last garbage day of the month, at least 4' away from your garbage container.

Drop-Off Site

At this time, the location of the 2016 yard waste site is located at the corner of Elm and Nixon Streets. This is the same location as last years temporary site. The future of the site is currently being reviewed by the Village. Changes to this program may be necessary in the future and the site may need to be closed at any time, with or without notice, at the discretion of Village authority.



Lawn clippings and leaves only, or **brush the size of your hand** are allowed to be dropped off. For larger brush items, see the brush pickup policy and rules.

Once at the site, place the yard waste in the retaining wall and dispose of the containers/bags that you brought into the garbage containers. The site can be accessed daily during daylight hours. Keep this site clean; any misuse of site rules may result in closure of the site.

If you have lost or disposed of your card, there will be a fee to reactivate your pass when the permanent site is open. Reactivation of access control cards or the purchase of a new card can only be done at the Department of Public Works, 2nd Floor Village Hall.

Curbside Pickup

The 2016 start date for curbside pickup of yard waste is **Wednesday, April 13**. The last day for curbside pick up is **September 14, 2016**. Residents will have to bag their yard waste in a regular garbage bag and purchase a \$2 sticker for each bag of yard waste that they wish to dispose of. These stickers are available at Village Hall. Yard waste bags are only picked up on **Wednesdays**. Please have the bags placed curbside by 6:00 a.m. or the night before.

Note: Curb side **leaf pick up** is done September 15 to December 1st, or until inclement weather happens, whichever comes first. If there are still leaves in the Spring, they can be disposed of at the yard waste site or by purchasing a yard waste sticker for \$2 per bag.

Brush Pickup Policy and Rules

Little Chute property owners/renters **must call in their property address to the Park, Rec, & Forestry Dept. at (920) 423-3869 to have their address added to the brush chipping list**. After hours, please leave a message that you have brush out and include your complete address. When the brush pickup list is sufficient enough to send out, the chipping crew will go to the listed addresses. If you hire a company to trim and/or take down trees on your property, they are responsible for brush removal; the Village will not pickup brush trimmed by a company you hired.

Place your branches curbside with the cut ends facing the same direction; stack piles neatly. Mobile home park residents must bring their brush to the nearest Village street (streets within the mobile home park do not belong to the Village). Brush should never lie in the street or on the sidewalk. **Keep brush as straight and as long as possible**. Brush that is shorter (less than 4 ft), thorny brush, and evergreen branches need to be bundled with string, not wire. Do not deposit sticks in the gutter line, put them on the terrace, as they plug the vacuum tubes on the sweeper.

Tri-County Recycling Guidelines (Outagamie, Brown, and Winnebago Counties)

Accepted Items:

Cartons: Milk, Soy Milk, Juice, Cream, Egg Substitutes, Broth, Soup, Wine, etc.

Dairy Containers: Yogurt, Margarine, Cottage Cheese, Sour Cream, etc. (also lids/covers)

Produce, Bakery & Deli Containers:

Berry, Donut, Potato Salad, Dips, etc.



PLASTIC:

Acceptable: All Plastic Bottles and Containers:

Soda, Water and Other Drink Bottles, Food and Household Bottles, Jars and Jugs, Dairy Containers and Lids, Produce, Bakery and Deli Containers.

Not Acceptable: Plastic Bread or Dry Cleaning Bags, Wrap or Film, Motor Oil Bottles, Styrofoam.

Guidelines: Empty and rinse all containers and bottles. Remove and discard all screw caps.

METAL AND GLASS:

Acceptable: Aluminum Bottles and Cans, Steel, Tin and Bi-metal Cans, Empty Aerosol Cans, Food and Beverage Glass Bottles and Jars.

Not acceptable: Aluminum Pans or Foil, Empty Paint Cans

Guidelines: Empty and rinse all bottles and containers.

For more comprehensive recycling information, the 5th edition of the Tri-County Recycling Guide is available online at the Outagamie County Recycling & Solid Waste website at www.recyclemoreoutagamie.org.

PAPER:

Acceptable:

Newspapers & Inserts, Cardboard & Paperboard (cereal and cracker boxes), Junk Mail and Office Paper, Milk, Juice & Soup Cartons, Phonebooks, Books, Magazines & Catalogs.

Not Acceptable: Paper Contaminated by Food or Grease, Tissue, or Gift Wrap.

Guidelines: Flatten and cut cardboard to no larger than 2' x 2'. Place shredded paper in paper bag, secure and label.

For Recycling Problems/Information:

Contact Inland Service Co. at
(920) 759-0501;

or

the Outagamie County Recycling
Coordinator at (920) 968-5721 or visit
their website:

www.recyclemoreoutagamie.org

Free Pickup of Residential Tires

The Village of Little Chute will collect passenger car tires no larger than 18" (rims acceptable) with a limit of (4) tires per household twice during the year. The pick up will be on your garbage collection day during the weeks of: **April 18—21 and September 19—22.**

Place the tires curbside by 6:00 a.m. on your collection day. *This collection is limited to residential tires only, not businesses.*

If you wish to dispose of tires at any other time, you can take them to the Outagamie County Landfill and pay their regular tire disposal rates. Tires exceeding 18" in size may be taken to the Outagamie County Landfill for \$4.00 per tire or \$150.00 per ton. Please call (920) 968-5721 if you have questions or would like additional information.



Important Garbage Collection Date Changes

- Memorial Day, May 30, garbage will be picked up on Tuesday, May 31.
- Monday, July 4, garbage will be picked up on Tuesday, July 5.
- Labor Day, Monday, September 5, garbage will be picked up on Tuesday, September 6.
- Thursday, November 24, garbage will be picked up on Wednesday, November 23.
- Friday, November 25, business garbage will be picked up on Monday, November 28.
- Friday, December 23, garbage will be picked up on Thursday, December 22.
- Monday, December 26, garbage will be picked up on Tuesday, December 27.

Waste Oil

Did you know—if you recycle just two gallons of waste oil it can generate enough electricity to run the average household for almost 24 hours? The drop off sites in the area are listed below:

- Outagamie County Recycling at 1919 Holland Road (920) 832-5277;
- County Highway Garage at 440 Municipal Drive in Seymour;
- O'Reilly Auto Parts (except Little Chute);
- Wal-Mart Super Center on Calumet Street;
- Appleton Yard Waste Sites on 801 Whitman Avenue and 2625 E. Glendale Avenue (920) 832-5580.

**Please Call Ahead For
Additional Program
Information**

Other Important Dates to Remember

- *Wednesday, April 13* - FIRST day of year for curbside pickup of yard waste bags.
- *LAST week of January, April, July and October* - pickup of large metal items on your regular day of collection.
- *LAST week of every month* - pick up of large non-metal items on your regular day of collection.
- *September 14* - LAST day of year for curbside pickup of yard waste bags.
- *LAST week of April* - pick up of "extra" bagged garbage on your regular day of collection.
- *LAST week of December* - pick up of "extra" bagged garbage on your regular day of collection.

Pickup of Large Non-Metal Items

On your last regular garbage pickup day of every month the Village picks up large non-metal items.

All of these items should be placed curbside by 6:00 a.m. on that day or the evening before. Do *not* place bulky items out earlier than the night before. They must also be placed at least 4 feet away from your polycart.

Large non-metal items are those items that are too large to be placed inside a polycart. Examples of bulky items are mattresses, couches, chairs, rolled up and tied carpeting/pad, lawn furniture, and non metal items.

The Village ordinance states that our crew will not pick up construction debris such as wood, roofing material, drywall, tiles, etc.

Pickup of Large METAL Items (quarterly)



Large metal items are picked up once every 3 months on your last regular pickup day in the months of: *January, April, July, and October.*

Please place these items curbside by 6:00 a.m. on your day of pickup or the night before. These items must be placed at least 4 feet away from your polycart. According to Village ordinance, large metal items cannot be placed out earlier than the night before your scheduled pickup day.

Any large metal item that normally contains Freon, such as a dehumidifier, refrigerator, humidifier, freezer, air conditioner, etc. requires the purchase of a \$20.00 non-refundable sticker to be attached to the appliance prior to placing the item curbside.



Refrigerant stickers may only be purchased at the Village Hall, 108 W. Main Street.

Electronics Recycling

Per State law, electronics (computers, monitors, televisions, fax machines, DVD or VCR players, printers, cell phones, and tablets) are banned from landfill disposal and must be recycled. Please call the Outagamie County Recycling Coordinator at (920) 968-5721 for more information, or visit the Wisconsin Department of Natural Resources website at <http://dnr.wi.gov> for a list of registered collectors.

Medical Sharps Disposal

To reduce public health risks, such as accidental needle sticks, Wisconsin law requires all citizens to manage needles, lancets, and syringes safely. It is **illegal** to put sharps in the trash or with recyclables. For more information, please contact the Outagamie County Health Department at (920) 832-5100 or visit their website at www.outagamie.org.

Antifreeze Disposal

Please do not dump antifreeze into the sewers! Antifreeze is classified as a hazardous waste because of the metal contents it picks up during its use as a cooling agent. Please save old antifreeze in the original container and bring it to the Clean Sweep Program or dispose of it at Outagamie County Recycling and Solid Waste located at the French Road location, 1 block East of Hwy 41, 1/4 mile North of Hwy 00. Call (920) 832-5277 for more information or visit www.RecycleMoreOutagamie.org.

Antifreeze can also be disposed of at The Heart of the Valley Metro Sewage District, 801 Thilmany Road, Kaukauna (920) 766-5731.



Notice of Abatement of Noxious Weeds

Section 28-87—Destruction of Noxious Weeds. As required by state law, “...every person is required to destroy all noxious weeds on land in the Village which he owns, occupies, or controls.”

Public Nuisance Declared. The Village Board finds that lawns, grasses, and noxious weeds on lots or parcels of land which exceed eight inches in length adversely affect the public health and safety of the public in that they tend to emit pollen and other discomfoting bits of plants, constitute a fire hazard and a safety hazard in that debris can be hidden in the grass, interferes with the public convenience and adversely affects property values of other land within the Village. For that reason, any lawn, grass or weed on a lot or other parcel of land which exceeds eight inches in length is hereby declared to be a public nuisance.

Abatement of nuisance. If the weed commissioner determines with reasonable certainty that any public nuisance as defined in subsection (b) of this section exists, he shall immediately cause written notice to be served that the Village proposes to have the lot grass or lawn cut so as to conform with this section and section 28-31. **During the same growing season, there will be no other notice to property owners to abate. If a second complaint is received during the same growing season regarding the same parcel of land, and if the nuisance is not abated immediately, the Village will cut the property and bill the owner for time, machinery, and administrative costs.** The Village Board has indicated that they have zero tolerance in this issue. The abatement is the owner’s responsibility.

Hydrant Flushing Program

Hydrants are flushed twice a year to help remove sediment, iron, and other minerals that settle in some of our water mains. However, the main reason we flush the hydrants is for all of our protection. We want to make sure that the fire hydrants in our distribution system all work properly.



Some residents have experienced problems with water discoloration during hydrant flushing. If you see the crew working in your area, run your *cold water tap* for about 10 minutes and the color should disappear. Do not be alarmed if the water is yellow/slightly red because it will not harm you. The discoloration is caused by the turbulence of the water while flushing the hydrants. Usually after about 1/2 hour to an hour, the discoloration will subside as the water main has had a chance to settle down.

2016 Hydrant Flushing Dates

- ⇒ **April 11— April 14**
- ⇒ **April 18— April 21**
- ⇒ **October 10 — October 13**
- ⇒ **October 17 — October 20**

Private Snow Removal

According to Sec. 40-65 Snow and Ice Removal of the Village of Little Chute Code of Ordinances: "The owner, occupant or person in charge of any parcel or lot which fronts upon or abuts any sidewalk shall keep said sidewalk clear of all snow and ice. In the event of snow accumulating on said sidewalk due to natural means and/or by other means, said sidewalk shall be cleared of all accumulated snow and/or ice within 24 hours from the time the snow ceases to accumulate on said sidewalk."

"Sidewalks are to be kept clear of snow and ice to a minimum of five feet in width. In the event that ice has formed on any sidewalk in such a manner that it cannot be removed, the owner, occupant or person in charge of the parcel or lot which fronts upon or adjoins said sidewalk shall keep the sidewalk sprinkled with sand and/or salt to permit safe travel by pedestrians."

IMPORTANT - No written or verbal notice will be given to violators - it is the responsibility of a property owner of such parcel or lot which fronts upon or abuts any sidewalk to maintain the sidewalk area throughout the snow season. Any snow or ice not cleared within 24 hours from the time the snow ceases to accumulate, shall be cleared by the Village and billed to the owner, lessee, or occupant.

Note: Residents are responsible for keeping their mailboxes cleared of snow for mail delivery! The Village will **not** replace a mailbox that is not placed correctly and a plow or other street maintenance equipment hits and damages it. *The crew is also not responsible for any damages done to a mailbox due to transfer of snow weight.*

**PLEASE KEEP HYDRANTS AND
CROSSWALKS CLEARED OF
SNOW AND ICE**

Snow Plowing and Removal

Even though it is now Spring, the Village's Street Department wants to take this opportunity to remind residents of the Village's snow plowing procedures. During and after a major snowstorm, the priority will be to clear and/or salt the primary streets first. Therefore, we would appreciate your cooperation in keeping your vehicles parked off the streets, if possible. This will enable the crew to plow more efficiently. After all streets are cleared, the Village crew will strive to remove snow from the business district within 24 hours. Snow emergencies will be declared by the Village Administrator and will be broadcast by the local media. The classes of snow emergencies are as follows:



CLASS I

- A. No parking on any Village street from 2:00 a.m. to 6:00 a.m.
- B. No special permission granted by the Police Department.
- C. Vehicles found in violation are ticketed and removed.

CLASS II

- A. Odd-even parking on Village streets from 6:00 a.m. to 2:00 a.m.
- B. No parking on any Village streets from 2:00 a.m. to 6:00 a.m.
- C. No special permission granted by Police Dept.
- D. Vehicles found in violation are ticketed/removed.

CLASS III

- A. No parking on any Village street at any time until cancelled.
- B. Vehicles found in violation are ticketed/removed.

Permits Issued by the Department of Public Works

All contractors working within the public right-of-way must have a Certificate of Insurance and a License and Permit Bond on file with the Department of Public Works.

The permits issued by Public Works are as follows:

- New concrete sidewalk \$ 5.00
- Sidewalk Rehabilitation \$ 0.00
- New driveway approach \$10.00
- Driveway apron rehabilitation \$10.00
- Curb opening \$10.00
- Replace curb \$10.00
- Install new culvert \$10.00
- Request for line and grade \$ 0.00
- Street/Right-of-Way Excavation \$25.00

Erosion Control Permit and Storm Water Management Permit cost is determined by many variables. For more information about these permits, check the Village website at www.littlechutewi.org.

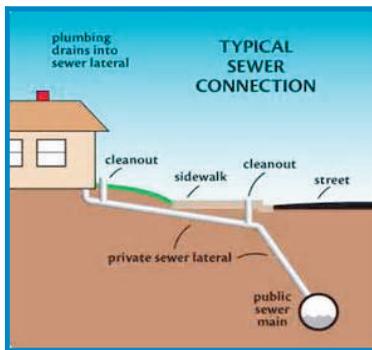
Permits are required for repairing/remodeling/adding/replacing siding, residential remodeling/additions, roofs, plumbing, electrical, porches, decks, patios, sheds, fences, antennas, satellite dishes, garages, pools, hot tubs, and Jacuzzis. Permits need to be obtained from the Building Inspector who is located on the third floor of the Village Hall. His number is (920) 423-3871. You may also contact the Assistant Director of Public Works at (920) 423-3865.

**Office hours are Monday through Friday
8:00 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.**

***We accept personal checks and/or cash for
permit payments.***

Private Sanitary Laterals

In order to reduce the amount of clear water adversely impacting the sanitary collection system and sewerage treatment system in terms of expense, efficiency, and overall burden on treatment facilities, it is necessary for property owners to repair deficiencies in their private laterals.



Taking into consideration the health, safety, and general welfare of Village residents, the Department of Public Works has already completed seven phases of the Village-wide Private Sanitary Lateral Program.

In 2015 deficient private sanitary laterals were replaced on Fillmore Street and East Greenfield Drive.

In 2016 we will concentrate our efforts on curtailing clear water infiltration by ordering the replacement of *defective* private sanitary laterals for properties involved in the 2016 street reconstruction project which include:

- Grand Avenue, north of McKinley Avenue
- E. McKinley Avenue from Madison Street (Hwy N) to Jackson Street
- Wilson Street, north of McKinley Avenue

If, in the future, you receive a notice to repair/replace your defective sewer lateral, you will be required to sign, date, and return the Notice of Intent form to the Department of Public Works. If you fail to do so, you will be charged a clear water management fee of \$50.00 that will appear on your monthly Village of Little Chute utilities bill until the work has been satisfactorily completed.

Since it is very cost effective to do, some property owners elect to have their lead water service replaced at the same time as the private sanitary lateral. A typical water service would be located in the same trench as your private lateral, thereby only requiring one excavation.

MISCELLANEOUS VILLAGE INFORMATION

Policy on Downspouts

It has been brought to our attention that some companies advertise their services to install downspout drainage systems to solve standing water, troublesome downspouts, sump pump lines, and grading issues. According to the Village of Little Chute's Code of Ordinances, Sec. 34-2 Mini-storm sewers/storm sewer laterals, no downspouts shall be connected to a storm sewer lateral, except with permission of the building inspector for hazard mitigation and it shall be limited to one. There shall be no downspouts connected to a mini storm sewer.

One thing that would assist with reducing the water amount that does run through our sewers would be to disconnect downspouts from the storm lateral.

By having downspouts hooked directly to lateral lines or mini sewer lines, the water is traveling in a faster mode, thereby, causing the possibility of backups and flooding situations. Contrary to what you probably have been told over the years, mini-sewers are not designed to handle downspouts, only sump pumps. By placing water back on your lawn, it lengthens the time for the water to reach the street and then the catch basin, thus, giving the storm sewers more time to catch up with the flow, reducing the rate that the water enters the storm sewer and streams.

Sump Pump Discharge

From November 15 to April 15 of each year, **no** sump pump discharge shall be allowed to flow, on or across a sidewalk, public street, or public right-of-way within the Village. At no time may a sump pump discharge directly into the sanitary sewer.

Salt Barrels

Salt barrels are located around the Village at locations that can become slippery during the winter. Salt and chips in the barrels can be used by motorists to get traction for their vehicles. There will be a can inside the barrel for spreading the salt. *This salt is not available for personal use at your residence or business.*

Caution Around Construction Equipment



Remember the old adage - Wisconsin has two seasons: Winter and Construction season. Please use extra caution around construction equipment (tractor/backhoe, sweepers, snow equipment, and/or construction crews). For safety reasons, please stay far enough away from them and the workers. The operators are trying to do their job, and they may not notice you.

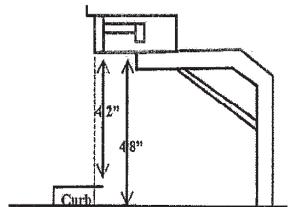


Mailbox Placement

The Little Chute Street Department has experienced some problems during snow plowing with incorrectly placed mailboxes. The U.S. Postal Service and the Village of Little Chute have requirements that must be adhered to in order for the snowplows to operate in these areas.

The Village will not replace a mailbox (that is incorrectly placed) if we hit it with a plow or other street maintenance equipment. We are also not responsible for any mailboxes damaged due to transfer of snow weight.

The face of the mailbox may not exceed past the back of the curb and no further away than 1 foot behind the curb. The mailbox height should be 42" from the top of the curb to the bottom of the mailbox. In areas where there is no curb, the height of the mailbox should be 48 inches from the top of the ground to the bottom of the mailbox.



Larger Recycling Polycarts

As a reminder, the Village has 95-gallon recycling polycarts available to those who may need a polycart larger than the average 65-gallon one. Please call the Department of Public Works at (920) 423-3865 if you would like the larger recycling polycart. [These polycarts are on a first come, first serve basis and a one-time fee of \\$50.00 is required \(cash or checks accepted\).](#) The fee covers the extra costs associated with the cart such as shipping, assembly, delivery, and extra service/maintenance. Also, you will be required to return your current 65 gallon polycart if you choose to receive the larger polycart.

The Village of Little Chute remains the owner of the polycarts.

Sewer Backflow Preventer

Sewer Backflow Preventers are mechanical devices that are designed to allow the flow of water in your sanitary sewer lateral to go in one direction only - away from your home. When installed properly and maintained adequately, they provide a decreased risk (not a guarantee) of sewage backup in the event of flooding or blockage in the main line.

It is the property owner's sole responsibility to keep the backflow preventer in good working order through periodic inspection and, if needed, routine cleaning/maintenance. Years may pass before the device may be called into action due to a downstream sewer blockage or flooding event. If not properly maintained, the device may not function as designed when needed the most.

[Routine inspection and proper maintenance of these devices cannot be overstated.](#) Your local plumber can assist you if you need help. If you have questions, please call the Department of Public Works at (920) 423-3865.

Village of Little Chute Utility Customers: Pay & View Bills Electronically



ONLINE Go to www.LittleChuteWI.org

Click on the payment or view bill link. You will go to our payment processor's website where you should register to either make a payment or view a bill. On future visits, **payments are just 3-steps.** We will send you an email each time you have a new bill.

MOBILE APP Download "PSN Payments" (App Store® or Google Play™) NOTE: Register online before using the App. 

CALL 1-877-885-7968 Automated phone payment system. First call you will register; future payments are just 4 steps.

- ⇒ Please opt out of paper bills
- ⇒ Pay immediately, schedule a payment or set up Auto-Pay
- ⇒ Online bills and paying by check are FREE services; fee of 2.75% is added to credit card payments
- ⇒ View balance due
- ⇒ Print receipts, view payment history



Consumer Confidence Report Data VILLAGE OF LITTLE CHUTE

WATERWORKS 2015

PWS ID: 44503382



The purpose of this report is to summarize the results of the water testing conducted on the Village of Little Chute water system during the calendar year of 2015. The report has been prepared to meet the requirements of the 1996 Safe Drinking Water Act (SDWA) adopted by Congress and to provide our customers with information about their municipal water system. We take pride in the quality of the drinking water supplied to our customers and continue to work diligently to assure the delivery of reliable and safe water. The Village of Little Chute Utility encourages public interest and participation in our Community's decisions affecting drinking water. For information on the water system, contact the Water Utility by telephone at (920) 788-7522 or by emailing to: lcwater@littlechutewi.org. Regular Utility Commission public discussion meetings are held on the third Tuesday of each month in the Council Chambers, located in the Village Hall at 108 W. Main Street, at 6:00 p.m. Please contact the Village Administrator Office at (920) 788-7380 to have an item placed on the agenda or to make arrangements for reasonable accommodation.

Health Information

Drinking water, including bottled water, may reasonably be expected to contain at least small amounts of some contaminants. The presence of contaminants does not necessarily indicate that water poses a health risk. More information about contaminants and potential health effects can be obtained by calling the Environmental Protection Agency's safe drinking water hotline (800-426-4791). Some people may be more vulnerable to contaminants in drinking water than the general population. Immuno-compromised persons such as persons with cancer undergoing chemotherapy, persons who have undergone organ transplants, people with HIV/AIDS or other immune systems disorders, some elderly, and infants can be particularly at risk from infections. These people should seek advice about drinking water from their health care providers. EPA/CDC guidelines on appropriate means to lessen the risk of infection by cryptosporidium and other microbial contaminants are available from the Environmental Protection Agency's safe drinking water hotline (800-426-4791).

Source(s) of Water

The sources of drinking water for the Village of Little Chute is groundwater. The Village of Little Chute operates three deep water wells to obtain its drinking water.

Source ID	Source	Depth (in feet)	Status
1	Groundwater	734	Active
2	Groundwater	805	Active
3	Groundwater	615	Active

Educational Information

The sources of drinking water, both tap water and bottled water, include rivers, lakes, streams, ponds, reservoirs, springs and wells. As water travels over the surface of the land or through the ground, it dissolves naturally occurring minerals and, in some cases, radioactive material, and can pick up substances resulting from the presence of animals or from human activity.

Contaminants that may be present in source water include:

- Microbial contaminants, such as viruses and bacteria, which may come from sewage treatment plants, septic systems, agricultural livestock operations and wildlife.
- Inorganic contaminants, such as salts and metals, which can be naturally-occurring or result from urban storm water runoff, industrial or domestic wastewater discharges, oil and gas production, mining or farming.
- Pesticides and herbicides, which may come from a variety of sources such as agriculture, urban storm water runoff and residential uses.
- Organic chemical contaminants, including synthetic and volatile organic chemicals, which are by-products of industrial processes and petroleum production, and can also come from gas stations, urban storm water runoff and septic systems.
- Radioactive contaminants, which can be naturally occurring or be the result of oil and gas production and mining activities.

In order to ensure that tap water is safe to drink, EPA prescribes regulations that limit the amount of certain contaminants in water provided by public water systems. FDA regulations establish limits for contaminants in bottled water, which shall provide the same protection for public health.

Detected Contaminants

Your water was tested for many contaminants last year. We are allowed to monitor for some contaminants less frequently than once a year. The following tables list only those contaminants which were detected in your water. If a contaminant was detected last year, it will appear in the following tables without a sample date. If the contaminant was not monitored last year, but was detected within the last 5 years, it will appear in the tables below along with the sample date.

Health effects for any contaminants with MCL violations/Action Level Exceedances

Contaminant Health Effects: Lead

Infants and children who drink water containing lead in excess of the action level could experience delays in their physical or mental development. Children could show slight deficits in attention span and learning abilities. Adults who drink this water over many years could develop kidney problems or high blood pressure.

Additional Health Information

If present, elevated levels of lead can cause serious health problems, especially for pregnant women and young children. Lead in drinking water is primarily from materials and components associated with service lines and home plumbing. Little Chute Waterworks is responsible for providing high quality drinking water, but cannot control the variety of materials used in plumbing components. When your water has been sitting for several hours, you can minimize the potential for lead exposure by flushing your tap for 30 seconds to 2 minutes before using water for drinking or cooking. If you are concerned about lead in your water, you may wish to have your water tested. Information on lead in drinking water, testing methods, and steps you can take to minimize exposure is available from the Safe Drinking Water Hotline or at www.epa.gov/safewater/lead.

The Village of Little Chute water system did not monitor for cryptosporidium or radon in 2015, State and Federal drinking water regulations did not require them to do so.

Wisconsin Department of Natural Resources

Safe, clean drinking water is what we expect when we turn on our faucets. The DNR Bureau of Drinking Water and Groundwater manages activities that affect the safety, quality and availability of drinking water to protect public health and our water resources. For more information please see: <http://dnr.wi.gov/topic/drinkingwater/>

Definitions

Term	Definition
AL:	Action Level: The concentration of a contaminant which, if exceeded, triggers treatment or other requirements which a water system must follow.
MCL:	Maximum Contaminant Level: The highest level of a contaminant that is allowed in drinking water. MCLs are set as close to the MCLGs as feasible using the best available treatment technology.
MCLG:	Maximum Contaminant Level Goal: The level of a contaminant in drinking water below which there is no known or expected risk to health. MCLGs allow for a margin of safety.
pCi/l:	Picocuries per liter (a measure of radioactivity)
ppm:	Parts per million, or milligrams per liter (mg/l)
ppb:	Parts per billion, or micrograms per liter (ug/l)

Unregulated Contaminants

Unregulated contaminants are those for which EPA has not established drinking water standards. The purpose of unregulated contaminant monitoring is to assist EPA in determining the occurrence of unregulated contaminants in drinking water and whether future regulation is warranted. EPA required us to participate in this monitoring.

Contaminant (units)	Level Found	Range	Sample Date
CHLORATE (ppb)	100	23 – 100	7/28/2014
CHROMIUM 6 (ppb)	.03	0 - .03	9/22/2015
MOLYBDENUM (ppb)	1.6	0 – 1.6	9/22/2015
STRONTIUM (ppm)	27	2.6 - 27	9/22/2015
SULFATE (ppm)	410	160 - 410	9/22/2015

Regulated Contaminants

Contaminant (units)	MCL	MCLG	Level Found	Range	Sample Date	Violation	Typical Source of Contaminant
ARSENIC (ppb)	10	n/a	1	1 – 1	7/28/2014	NO	Erosion of natural deposits; Runoff from orchards; Runoff from glass and electronics production wastes
BARIUM (ppm)	2	2	.003	.001 - .003	7/28/2014	NO	Discharge of drilling wastes; Discharge from metal refineries; Erosion of natural deposits
FLUORIDE (ppm)	4	4	2	1.4 – 2	7/28/2014	NO	Erosion of natural deposits; Water additive which promotes strong teeth; Discharge from fertilizer and aluminum factories
NICKEL (ppb)	100	n/a	1	.64 – 1	7/28/2014	NO	Nickel occurs naturally in soils, ground water and surface waters and is often used in electroplating, stainless steel and alloy products.
NITRATE (NO3-N) (ppm)	10	10	.04	.03 - .04	7/28/2014	NO	Runoff from fertilizer use; Leaching from septic tanks, sewage; Erosion of natural deposits
SODIUM (ppm)	n/a	n/a	290	160 – 290	7/28/2014	NO	n/a
GROSS ALPHA, EXCL. R & U (pCi/l)	15	0	5.6	3.8 – 5.6	7/28/2014	NO	Erosion of natural deposits
RADIUM, (226 + 228) (pCi/l)	5	0	5	0 – 5	7/28/2014	NO	Erosion of natural deposits
GROSS ALPHA, INCL. R & U (n/a)	n/a	n/a	5.6	3.8 – 5.6	7/28/2014	NO	Erosion of natural deposits
HAA5 (ppb) Site B-3	60	60	3	0 – 3		NO	By-product of drinking water chlorination
HAA5 (ppb) Site B-7	60	60	2	0 – 2		NO	By-product of drinking water chlorination
TTHM Site (ppb) B-3	80	n/a	7.8	0 – 7.8		NO	By-product of drinking water chlorination
TTHM Site (ppb) B-7	80	n/a	5.2	0 - 5.2		NO	By-product of drinking water chlorination

Contaminant (units)	Action Level	MCLG	90 th Percentile Level Found	# of Results Above Action Level	Sample Date	Violation	Typical Source of Contaminant
Copper (ppm)	1.3	1.3	.11	0	8/28/2014	NO	Corrosion of household plumbing systems; Erosion of natural deposits; Leaching from wood preservatives
Lead (ppb)	15	0	10	1	8/28/2014	NO	Corrosion of household plumbing systems; Erosion of natural deposits

VILLAGE OF LITTLE CHUTE
April 2016 to April 2017 Garbage and Recycling Calendar

Garbage is picked up every week on Monday, Wednesday, Thursday and Friday; please make sure the lid on your cart is closed.
Important: Place garbage polycart and recycling polycart at least 4 feet apart and at least 4 feet away from any other object!
Place your garbage cart curbside by 6:00 a.m. on the day of your pick up.

If you do not know your day of pickup or have questions regarding garbage pickup, please call the Department of Public Works at (920) 423-3865.

ANY LARGE METAL ITEM NORMALLY CONTAINING FREON REQUIRES A \$20 NON-REFUNDABLE STICKER PURCHASE !!!

If you have problems with your recycling pickup, please call Inland Service Corporation at 759-0501 or call the Outagamie County Recycling Coordinator at 968-5721.

Recycling should be placed curbside by 6:00 a.m. on your day of pickup.

Access Control Cards for the yard waste disposal site are available for purchase for \$20 for the first year and \$5 every year thereafter.
 These cards are available for purchase at the Village Hall, 108 W. Main Street. We accept cash or personal checks.

2016

VH = Village Holiday / Village Offices Closed

Recycling Weeks Are Shaded Gray

Large METAL items ONLY picked up in "red" highlighted months

Large NON-Metal items picked up on your LAST garbage day of the month

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JUNE						
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Helpful garbage information:

- * Residential garbage is picked up every week Monday, Wednesday, Thursday and Friday; place your garbage container curbside by 6:00 a.m. on your day of pickup.
- * Every month the Village picks up large non-metal items on your LAST garbage pickup day of the month.
- * Every 3 months - **January, April, July, and October** - large METAL items are picked up (shown with red headings in the calendar) on your LAST garbage pickup day of that month.



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POSTAL CUSTOMER

2016 Department of Public Works Projects

New Concrete Streets:

- * Grand Avenue from McKinley Avenue to the North.
- * McKinley Avenue from Madison Street to Jackson St.
- * Wilson Street from McKinley Avenue to the North.
- * Legion Parkway from McKinley Avenue to Madison St.

New Storm Sewers:

- * Grand Avenue from McKinley Avenue to the North.
- * McKinley Avenue from Madison Street to Jackson St.
- * Wilson Street from McKinley Avenue to the North.
- * Legion Parkway from McKinley Avenue to Madison St.

Private Storm Sewer Laterals:

- * Grand Avenue from McKinley Avenue to the North.
- * McKinley Avenue from Madison Street to Jackson St.
- * Wilson Street from McKinley Avenue to the North.
- * Legion Parkway from McKinley Avenue to Madison St.

Private Sanitary Laterals:

- * Grand Avenue from McKinley Avenue to the North.
- * McKinley Avenue from Madison Street to Jackson St.
- * Wilson Street from McKinley Avenue to the North.

Sidewalk New/Rehab:

- * Grand Avenue from McKinley Avenue to the North.
- * McKinley Avenue from Madison Street to Jackson St.
- * Wilson Street from McKinley Avenue to the North.
- * Legion Parkway from McKinley Avenue to Madison St.
- * Generally Bounded by Buchanan Street to East Village Limit, and from CTH "OO" to South Village Limit.