

Happy New Year!

2019

Snow Removal and Parking

During a declared snow emergency or after two inches or more of snow have accumulated, no motor vehicle shall be left parked on any street or public way in the city until the declared emergency is canceled or, if no emergency declared, until the snow is cleared on both sides of the street. Failure to abide may result in the removal of motor vehicles, at the owner's expense (see Hayward City Ordinances in the Government Section of the City's website – haywardmn.org).

City's Fire Station Expansion and Community Hall Renovation project

The Hayward Fire Department, the City of Hayward, and the Hayward Township, in cooperation with the City Engineer, will be advertising for bids on the City's Fire Station expansion and Community Hall Renovation project beginning January 2, 2019. Bids will be accepted through February 11th at 7 p.m. It's estimated the project will be completed by October 1, 2019!

Community Bulletin Board

If you have something you would like posted on the Community Bulletin Board - located just outside of the Post Office - drop it off at the City Office; we will post it for you.

Sump Pump Inspections

The City will be inspecting Hayward Residents' sump pumps beginning in May 2019. Also, please remember you **MUST** drain your sump pumps outside NOT down the sanitary sewer (from within your house). The lift station becomes overburdened. **THANK YOU!**

Leaky Toilets!

Did you know a leaky toilet can use up to 200 gallons a day! That's 6000 gallons a month that you are paying for, and you may not hear nor see it! A pool of water around your toilet is an obvious sign of leakage. But there are other types of leaks. A few drops of food coloring in the tank may be able to alert you to a potential leak. Squeeze 10 drops of red, blue, or green food coloring in your toilet tank (drops not gel). Replace the toilet lid and wait 20 minutes. **Survey the toilet bowl.** If the water is clear, there is no leak. If the water has changed color, there is a leak present – call a plumber. Remember to check all toilets in your house. This is just one simple trick you may try! Google search "how to tell if your toilet is leaking" and see what you come up with.

City council meetings are held 2nd Monday of every month at the Hayward Community Hall beginning at 7 p.m. The public is encouraged to attend and participate!

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