

# HOLDINGFORD

*"Gateway to the Lake Wobegon Trail"*



## From City Hall -May 2019

Clean-Up and Cares Day. the weekend of May 4<sup>th</sup> went extremely well. Thank you to the City Council, Sue M., Bob S., Mike O., Robb B., and Eric B., Maintenance Supervisor Steve H, and staff from Opatz Metals and Toms Refuse who worked the Clean-Up Day area by the Museum. TV's, appliances, mattresses, lawn mowers, bicycles, yard ornaments and much more were collected and disposed of. The Lionesses and their large group of volunteers reached out to many areas of Holdingford and its residents, to help with yard work, painting, window cleaning and general sprucing up. It is really wonderful for everyone to get together for the benefit of the community. Thank you to all who helped out on May 4th.

A few reminders, to help keep city costs manageable:

At the Waste Water Treatment Plant, the compost pile is available for the taking. Remember the compost, tree branches, brown leaves and grass clipping areas are for city residents ONLY for disposal and use. City residents can dump tree branches ONLY, not full tree trunks. Putting your lawn waste in the proper areas is important. When these privileges are abused we may have to make other arrangements to control the disposal area, don't ruin it for the people that need to use it.

Home garbage is being put into the City garbage containers at the Wobegon Trailhead Parking lot, the Cyril Ebnet Ballpark, and at the Veteran Memorial Park. This is against City and County Ordinances, the dumping of household garbage in city garbage containers, are punishable by fines. When found, the people doing this may be prosecuted.

Holdingford has finalized the annexation of the Greg Konsor property. This property will now be available for building and developing, for the growth of our community. Also, in the last months the city council has approved the splitting of current residential properties, into buildable lots for the addition of homes, built or moved in. These are welcome opportunities for growth, new families and new businesses. Continue to shop local, keep our businesses and our community flourishing!

**Respectfully, Sue Marstein, Mayor of Holdingford**

### Looking Ahead – Important Dates

- \* May 27 – Memorial Day –office closed-
- \* June 10 –Public Hearing–Ordinance additions and City Council Meeting 7:00p.m.

For more community events, please see the Community Calendar at [www.holdingfordmn.us/calendar](http://www.holdingfordmn.us/calendar)

### Holdingford City Office Hours:

Monday	8 AM – 4 PM
Tuesday	8 AM – 4 PM
Wednesday	8 AM – 6 PM
Thursday	8 AM – 4 PM
Friday	CLOSED



### Mayor's Hours:

Mondays	5:30 – 7 PM
1 <sup>st</sup> Saturday of the month	8 – 10 AM