# City Newsletter



## **SUMP PUMPS**

Reminder Sump Pumps <u>must</u> not be pumped into the Cities Sanitary Sewer System, with spring melt and run off the Sanitary Sewer system can get overloaded.



## **CITY COUNCIL**

At the April 10<sup>th</sup> City Council Meeting, Eric Berscheid was sworn in as City of Holdingford's New Mayor.

Andy Higgins was appointed into the vacant City Council Seat.

## CITY COMPOST SITE

To help stop the spread of Noxious Rough Potato Weed, the City Compost site will only be available for residents to drop items off, not to take compost out at this time.

#### **Acceptable Items:**

Only Clean yard waste, brush, and tree waste. Acceptable yard waste includes leaves, grass clippings, pines cones, pumpkins, acorns, apples, dirt and sod. Acceptable brush and tree waste include shrubs, tree branches, garden vegetation.

#### **Items Not Accepted:**

Construction wood, dimensional wood, pallets, stumps, or whole logs. Yard waste mixed with rocks, metals, concrete, polystyrene foam, animal feces, food scraps, or other foreign material.

This site is <u>only</u> for City of Holdingford resident use only, no commercial or lawn care services use.

## NO MOW MAY

At the April 10<sup>th</sup> City Council Meeting, a Resolution Proclaiming No Mow May, the City will not issue correcting notices for long grass and weed violations for the month of May, permitting all residents to voluntarily delay lawn care until June, allowing pollinator species to emerge and early flowering grasses and forbes to establish, which may result in ground-cover exceeding established ordinance height restrictions.





## LOOKING AHEAD

City Council Meetings are the 2<sup>nd</sup> Monday of the month at 7:00pm Next few Meetings are scheduled for May 8<sup>th</sup>, June 12<sup>th</sup> & July 10<sup>th</sup>

- April 18<sup>th</sup> City Hall will be closing early at 3pm
- April 23<sup>rd</sup> Music of Our Heartland Polk at the American Legion
- May 6<sup>th</sup> Lake Wobegon Trail Marathon
- May 8<sup>th</sup> Public Hearing for Rezoning and Conditional Use Permit for the Community Country Church
- May 8<sup>th</sup> Public Hearing for Vacating Alley on Washington Street
- May 20<sup>th</sup> Holdingford Cares Day
- May 24<sup>th</sup> City Hall opening late at noon.
- June Stearns County Sheriff will host a Safety in the park
- July 7-8 Holdingford Daze

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