

# Town of Holland, Brown County, Newsletter

## NEW TOWN HALL

Progress on our new town hall is continuing. The land, six acres located at the NW corner of Holland-Wayside Road and State Hwy 57, should be able to be finalized for purchase this month. The floor plan, prepared by Alliance Construction, has been approved and the architectural specs are being prepared. After that, it needs to be approved at the State level, and then we will be able to send it out for bids. We hope the bid process can be completed by early summer. We are excited about this facility, and hope it will meet the needs of the town in many ways.

## VOTING LOCATION CHANGE

The Town Hall **will not** be used for voting this year.

Instead, voting will take place on Tuesday, April 2, 2024 at Van Abel's of Hollandtown, from 7am. to 8 pm. Please use the North Entrance, since typically Van Abel's are not open on Tuesdays.

If you need to use Absentee Voting, you may request an application for the ballot by contacting our Town Clerk. This must be a written request by mail, email, or at MyVote.wi.gov. before 5pm March 28.

The Clerk's contact information is:

Ellen Schmidt-Hubers  
672 Schmidt Rd, Kaukauna WI, 54130  
[clerk@hollandbrowncountywi.gov](mailto:clerk@hollandbrowncountywi.gov)  
920-809-6152.

Further information can be found at <https://hollandbrowncountywi.gov> or at MyVote.wi.gov

**Note that the Fall Primary on August 13, and the Presidential Election on November 5 will also be at Van Abel's. (unless the new town hall is finished by November - that may be a big hope though).**

## WEBSITE AND EMAIL CHANGES

For security reasons, municipalities were advised to change their website and email information to a .gov domain. Therefore we've changed the website, and the Clerk and Treasurer's emails. The Chairman, Supervisors and Planning Admin. will continue with their gmail.com accounts.

**Website:**

<https://hollandbrowncountywi.gov>

**Email - Ellen Schmidt-Hubers:**

[clerk@hollandbrowncountywi.gov](mailto:clerk@hollandbrowncountywi.gov)

**Email - Gloria Kennedy:**

[treasurer@hollandbrowncountywi.gov](mailto:treasurer@hollandbrowncountywi.gov)

## YARD WASTE SCHEDULE

The Yard Waste Collection will be handled by Joe Wuyts (920-707-7856) this year. Many thanks to Mark Kiel for taking care of this for many previous years. The program will be run the same as before:

- Acceptable items include: grass, clippings, leaves, garden waste, small brush, hay, straw and twigs no longer than 3' or 6" in diameter
- NO PLASTIC bags are allowed. We suggest you put your refuse in a garbage can that can be dumped, or in paper bags
- The dumpster is locked before and after the dates/times listed. Items left

outside of those dates/times are subject to a \$200 fine per Town Ordinance.

**Location:** Hollandtown Community Park

**Time:** 8 am to Noon

**Dates:** April 20, May 18, June 22, August 10, September 14 & 28, October 12 & 26.

## APPLIANCE/TECHNOLOGY RECYCLE COLLECTION

Town of Holland residents can recycle their technology or appliance items on Saturday, May 18, 2024 from 8am to Noon at the Hollandtown Community Park. Joe Wuyts will be the facilitator of this collection (920-707-7856).

**Free items include:** computer towers, laptops, cell phones, servers, routers, wire, cable, keyboards, mouse, copiers, printers, fax machines, phone systems,

DVD, VCR, stereos, CD players, washers, dryers, stoves, rechargeable batteries, household appliances, big and small, anything metal.

**Items With A Fee Include:**

Monitors	\$15
TV's less than 30" dia.	\$25
TV's over 30" dia.	\$45
Projection TV's	\$45
Console TV's	\$45
CCD TV's	\$25
Freon Items	\$5 each

## DOG LICENSES

Don't forget to take care of your dog license! Information is on the town website. All dogs older than 5 months need to be licensed per State Statute.

## PROBLEMS WITH TRASH/RECYCLE BINS

We want to reinforce the fact that ashes, hot or cold, should NEVER be put into the bins. Any load that has ash is refused at the landfill, which causes great problems and extra expense with the hauler. In addition, just this past year, they have had incidents where the truck has caught fire, causing damage, a lost day, and a lot of work. Please take care of your ash by burying it or spreading it in your garden. In addition, please be attentive to place your cart far enough away from other objects that could hinder the truck from being able to unload your cart, i.e. posts, parked cars, mailboxes, etc. Thank you.

## GETTING INVOLVED - ELECTION WORKER OR PLANNING COMMITTEE

The Town is always looking for folks who would be interested in serving as

an Election Worker or on the Planning Committee. Both of these positions are open to male or female adult residents, and are compensated positions. Let the Clerk know if you might be interested to help out. We could use your help!

## WHAT CAN WE PUT IN THE RECYCLE OR TRASH?

Sometimes questions come up about what we can and cannot recycle: A good source for information is found at <https://browncountyrecycling.org>. An information flyer has also been posted on our town's website under the Community tab.

## GVFD NEWS

### LITHIUM ION BATTERY DISPOSAL

The Greenleaf Volunteer Fire Department has asked us to share news about the disposal of lithium-ion batteries. Fires in the landfill and on garbage trucks have been occurring on

an increasing basis. Please NEVER put lithium-ion batteries, or devices that contain these batteries in the trash or recycling bins! They are not accepted at the landfill. Instead, please bring them to a recycling drop-off site, or to a retailer that accepts used batteries. Further information is included on the GVFD FaceBook page, and we've posted it on our Town Website on the Trash & Recycle page.

### FURTHER REMINDERS FROM GVFD

- Check your CO and fire detectors - even the 10 yr life ones.

-Donations can be made to GVFD at PO Box 57, Greenleaf, WI 54126

-Their Annual Fireman's Picnic is Saturday, July 20, noon to 9pm

**AND A HUGE 'THANK YOU' TO ALL THE FIRE DEPARTMENTS THAT SERVE OUR TOWN!**

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