# TOWN OF HOLLAND, BROWN COUNTY

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# **BUSY DAYS, THESE**

The Town Board has been busy with Planning Board meetings, Spring Primary and April Elections, Ordinance Updates, and preparing for Board of Review. The Planning Board continues to attempt to gather pertinent information that will help them make a good decision regarding BC Organics request for Conditional Use Permit allowing them to build a manure and organic waste digester system here in the town. There have been extensive meetings thus far, and it appears that things may come to a conclusion in the next few months. Your written input is welcome in this regard, by contacting Clerk Bill Clancy with your comments.

#### **MEETINGS YOU MAY WISH TO ATTEND**

- Sat. April 6, 8-10 am at Town Hall; Open Book access to tax roll
- Mon. April 8, 6pm at Town Hall; Planning Board Ordinance Mtg
- Tues. April 16, 7 pm at Town Hall; Annual Town Meeting
- Mon. April 22, 6 pm at Van Abel's, Planning Board Mtg to act on BC Organics Conditional Use Perm
- Wed. April 24, 1-3 pm at Town Hall; Board of Review
- Thurs. April 25, 7 pm, Town's Assoc Mtg at the Marg (for Board)
- Mon. May 6, 6 pm at Van Abel's; Public Hearing on the BC
  Organics proposal to build a manure digester
- Mon. May 13, 7 pm at Van Abel's; Monthly Meeting; Town Board to act on Planning Commission's recommendation regarding BC Organics proposal
- Mon. June 3, 7 pm at Van Abel's; Monthly Meeting; Town Board will hear from Brown County Solid Waste representative, Dean Haen, regarding updated plans for the opening of the tri-county landfill in the Town of Holland, which is scheduled to open in 18-24 months.

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#### YARD WASTE COLLECTION DATES AND INFORMATION

The Yard Waste Program in the Town of Holland has become a popular program used by many of our residents. The dumpster is located at the south end of the parking lot at the community park on County Rd D in Hollandtown, and is open from 8 am until 12 pm (noon) on the following Saturdays:

April 20\* July 20 October 5\* May 18 (also Appliance Recycle Date) August 17 October 19\*

November 2\* (cancelled if snowing) June 15 September 14

Dates marked with asterisk will have an area set aside for branches only. These will later be chipped up by Brown County. Anyone wishing to receive the wood chips can contact Brown County. They are free.

Accepted yard waste includes, but is not limited to:

Branches (less than 6" diameter) **Grass Clippings** Leaves Hay/straw Brush Shrubs

- Only yard & garden waster, and small brush will be accepted.
- Yard waste must be in paper bags or trash cans for dumping. NO PLASTIC BAGS of any kind will be accepted.
- Grass clippings will be accepted, however, the Town of Holland and the DNR encourage residents to leave the grass clippings on the lawn as a good source of fertilizer.
- The dumpster will be locked before and after the times listed above
- No other items will be accepted.
- Items left outside the dumpster after hours will be subject to a \$200 fine per town ordinance.

#### SPRING RECYCLING EVENT

Open to all Town of Holland Residents.

Saturday, May 18, 2019 from 8 am until noon at the Hollandtown Community Park in Hollandtown (County D), the following items for recycling will be accepted:

Free Items Include: Computer towers, laptops, cell phones, servers/routers, wire and cable, mouse, copiers, printers fax machines, phone systems DVD/VCR, stereos, CD players, rechargeable batteries, washers, dryers, stoves, household appliances – big and small, anything metal.

Freon items also accepted.

Items For a Fee Include: Monitors \$10; TV and LCD TV's under 30" - \$15; TV's over 30" - \$30; Console TV's \$30.

If everyone is thinking alike, then no one is thinking. Benjamin Franklin

#### NOTICE TO ALL BROWN COUNTY DOG OWNERS

Pursuant to Section 174.052, Wisconsin Statues, rabies vaccinations and dog licenses are required for all dogs who are 4 months of age or older.

Vaccinations against rabies are required, Section 95.21 (2), Wisconsin Statues within 30 days after the dog reaches 4 months of age and shall be repeated within one year after the initial vaccination. In addition, dogs shall be revaccinated when their rabies certificate expires. A certificate documenting that the dog's rabies vaccinations are current shall be presented to the town treasurer when obtaining an annual dog license.

The owner of a dog more than 5 months of age on January 1 or within the licensing year, shall obtain an annual dog liense.

2019 dog license tags can be obtained from your local municipal treasurer. Fees are \$4 for spayed or neutered dogs, and \$9 for those not spayed or neutered. To obtain your 2019 Dog License, please mail payment, payable to the Town of Holland, along with vaccine certification from your veterinarian to Gloria Kennedy, 7928 St. Pat's Church Road, Greenleaf, WI 54126.

## A WORD FROM OUR COUNTY SUPERVISOR

Hello Holland Families,

I wanted to share with you some recent good news for District 20.

- \* After years of planning by the Village, the 'Village of Denmark Business Development Corridor' resolution was passed unanimously at March's Brown County Board meeting. 'Phase One' of this project will bring our District over 80 new permanent jobs with Salm Partners building a new 35 million dollar 80,000 square foot production and storage facility, Kwik Trip building a new convenience store, and the construction of the infrastructure to support other planned improvements including a new hotel. All of this strategically located just off Interstate 43. I was honored to be part of this effort.
- \* As many of you know, I took issue with Brown County not communicating to Holland families about the contamination of over 20 wells at the future landfill site in Holland. After I found out about this last July (7 months after the contamination), I made sure that neighbors as well as the proper agencies were notified and I have worked diligently to get in place a policy to ensure this silence will never happen again. Brown County has agreed to a timely communication plan for any future contamination event at the Holland site.

I sit on Brown County's 'Planning, Development and Transportation Committee' (oversees the Public Works and Highway Departments) and the 'Land Conservation Committee'. As always, I welcome your input on any Brown County matter - call or write me any time. I would be happy to share with you the other efforts I am currently working on. It has been a very busy first year as your County Board Supervisor. I continue to learn and genuinely believe that things are moving in the right direction with better collaboration between Brown County and District 20 Municipalities including the Town of Holland.

God Bless and Happy Spring! Steve Deslauriers, Brown County Board Supervisor - District 20 (920)770-3501 Steve@SteveDforBC.com

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#### **COMMUNITY PARK AVAILABLE TO RENT**

The Hollandtown Community Park, located on County D in Hollandtown, is available to rent for your family reunion, graduation or birthday parties, or other summer gatherings. The park pavilion has clean bathrooms, a kitchen area with a refrigerator, large cooler, small freezer, hot water, and a picnic area with ten picnic tables and plenty of outlets for Nescos and Crock Pots. The park has playground equipment, a sandbox, ball fields, a volleyball net and plenty of other room or yard games or soccer. There is also plenty of parking. The park is available from May to October. The park closes at 11 pm. Rental fee is \$75. For more information, call (920) 470-4831.