

## BAYSIDE BUZZ

VILLAGE OF BAYSIDE

# VOTE



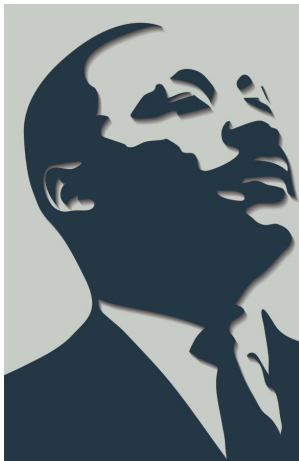
### Next Election: April 2, 2024

The Village of Bayside will not have a Spring Primary Election in February. The next election will be the Presidential Preference Primary and Spring Election on April 2, 2024.

New to Bayside or recently moved within the Village? [Register to vote!](#)

Want to vote absentee by mail in the upcoming elections? [Request your ballots!](#) Unless you are an indefinitely confined voter, absentee ballots must be requested each calendar year.

[MyVote Wisconsin](#)



**MARTIN  
LUTHER  
KING  
DAY**

### MLK Jr. Day

Monday, January 15 is Martin Luther King, Jr. Day.

Village offices will be open and garbage and recycling collections will not be impacted by the holiday. All collections will be performed as normal.

[2024 Collection Guide](#)

### Holiday Tree Collection

The Village will be completing the final Christmas tree collection on Thursday, January 11.

- Place trees at the edge of the road by 7am.
- Do not place trees in plastic bags.



- No metal bracing of wreaths or garland.
- All items must be removed from trees.

[2024 Collection Guide](#)

## WIPES CLOG PIPES!

Only flush the three P's:

**Pee Poo Paper**



**WIPES BELONG  
IN THE TRASH.**

### Wipes Clog Pipes

Please be aware that baby and hand wipes marked as "flushable" should not be flushed down the drain or toilet! These wipes do not break down in water like regular toilet paper does and need to be disposed of in the trash.

Please do not flush clothes, wipes, diapers, paper towels, or any other materials other than toilet paper down the drain or toilet.

The occurrence of these items in the Village sanitary sewer system can lead to backups in homes and Village infrastructure.



### Smart Salting

You can keep sidewalks and driveways safe this winter while protecting our waters by following these simple steps:

1. Shovel - Clear walkways and other areas before the snow turns to ice. The more snow you remove manually, the less salt you will have to use and the more effective it will be.
2. Scatter - If you use salt, scatter it so that there is space between the grains. Believe it or not, a coffee mug of salt is enough to treat an entire 20-foot driveway or 10 sidewalk squares.
3. Switch - When pavement temperatures drop below 15° F, salt won't work. Switch to sand for traction or a different ice melt that works at lower temperatures.

[Winter Salting Guide](#)



## The Wisconsin Legislature Sales Tax

The Wisconsin Legislature authorized a sales tax increase for both the City of Milwaukee and Milwaukee County in 2023 Wisconsin Act 12.

Starting on January 1, 2024, the combined sales tax rate in the City of Milwaukee is 7.9% and 5.9% for the rest of Milwaukee County.

If you are a resident of the Village of Bayside and believe you were overcharged sales tax by any retailer, you are entitled to seek a refund from that retailer. Please save your receipt. Wisconsin law states that retailers who over collect sales tax must return the tax collected in error to their customers or remit to the Wisconsin Department of Revenue (DOR). Contact DOR to report any inaccurate sales tax collection. DOR will follow up on all reports of inaccurate sales tax collection.

Email DOR

Call DOR

### MAKE THE RIGHT CALL

**9-1-1 for emergencies**

- Impaired Driving
- House Fire
- Medical Emergency
- Abduction
- Robbery
- Report Domestic Violence
- Suspicious Activities
- Heart Attack or Stroke

**2-1-1**  
Get Connected. Get Answers.  
**2-1-1 for info and resources**

- Housing and Utility Issues
- Find Shelter
- Locate a Food Bank
- Natural Disaster Relief Information
- Fraud and Identity Protection
- Tax Preparation Assistance
- Veterans Services
- Support Groups and Counseling Services

Or text your ZIP Code to TXT-211 to chat with a community specialist.

Simply dial 2-1-1 to access family, health and social service resources.

Toll-free 1-866-211-3380  
Text your ZIP code to 898-211  
Click to chat or search the online resource directory at [impactinc.org](http://impactinc.org)

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## 211 WISCONSIN

Visit their website to search for services:  
[211wisconsin.communityos.org](http://211wisconsin.communityos.org)

## What's the 211?

211 is Wisconsin's statewide community referral service available to help you find community and health resources as well as resources that can help Wisconsinites access support around housing, finances, food access, childcare, or emotional support.

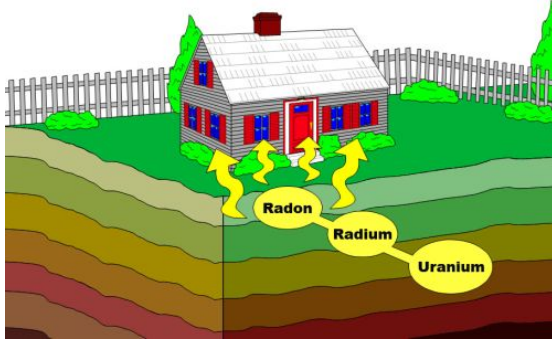
And remember, if you want free, confidential personal assistance on these or other topics, dial 211 OR 877-947-2211 or text your ZIP code to 898-211. A friendly voice is there to talk with you every day.

Online Resource Directory

## Radon Action Month

January is National Radon Action Month. After smoking, radon is the next most common cause of lung cancer resulting in 15,000 to 22,000 deaths per year.





Radon test kits are available at the North Shore Health Department for \$7. To obtain a testing kit or learn more about radon, call the [North Shore Health Department](#) at (414) 371-2980.

Radon Information



### \*Winter Weather Reminders\*

When it's time for plows to hit the roads, please help them out by remembering the following:

- **Parking Restrictions:** Vehicles should not park on Village streets.
- **Slow Down:** Drive slow, use caution, and leave plenty of space between you, other drivers, and snow plows.
- **Give Them Room:** If you see plows out on the road, give them plenty of space. They make frequent stops, starts, and turns.
- **Clear Hydrants:** Remember to clear the snow around your fire hydrant so crews can easily access it if needed in an emergency.
- **Depositing Snow:** Please deposit snow on your property, not on Village streets or on a neighbor's property.
- **Be Patient:** During a snow storm, crews will be out working. They start with main streets and continue to clear all 46 lane miles and cul-de-sacs within the Village.
- **Mount Bayside Parking:** Please use the sled hill parking lot or Village Hall parking lot for sled hill parking. Use caution as DPW plows will be active in the area around the parking lots and streets.



### Sound Waves Concert Series

Bring the whole family on six Sunday afternoons this winter to hear Milwaukee musicians live in Schlitz Audubon Auditorium! Performances take place from 3:30-4:30pm and are free with membership or admission. The first concert will be held this Sunday, January 14.

Sound Waves Concert Series

## Tax Bills



Property tax bills were mailed to property owners on December 11. The first property tax installment is due January 31, 2024. Property tax payments can be paid via US mail, dropped in the drop box outside Village Hall, online, or in Village Hall during regular business hours.

Save a stamp or trip out in the cold and pay online via e-check for a nominal fee!

[Milwaukee County: Pay Online](#)

[Ozaukee County: Pay Online](#)

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## Did You Know?

There are pet waste disposal stations located at Ellsworth Park and on Brown Deer Road where you can find both a bag and a proper place to dispose of the bag after use. Please don't leave the pet waste bag in the road or in someone's yard.

[Scoop the Poop!](#)



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[Paperless Permitting](#)

## Quick Links

- [Mailbox Replacement Program](#)
- [Vacation Checks](#)
- [Rain Barrels](#)
- [Yard Waste Containers](#)
- [Pothole](#)

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