

ANNOUNCEMENTS

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The following is the schedule for regular meetings of the **Board of Trustees** of the Village of Elkhart Lake.

MONDAY, December 2nd, 2024 – 6:00 P.M.

MONDAY, December 16th, 2024 – 6:00 P.M.

MONDAY, January 6th, 2025 – 6:00 P.M.

MONDAY, January 20th, 2025 – 6:00 P.M.

The Village of Elkhart Lake requests persons requiring auxiliary aids and service for participation in the above meeting contact the Clerk twenty-four (24) hours prior to the meeting. All meetings are held in the general meeting room of the Grashorn Memorial Civic Center, located at 84 North Lake Street in Elkhart Lake unless otherwise noted.

THE DEADLINE FOR BEING PLACED ON THE AGENDA FOR ANY REGULAR BOARD MEETING WILL BE AT 5:00 P.M. ON THE WEDNESDAY PRIOR TO THE REGULAR MEETING MONDAY AND ONE WEEK PRIOR TO A COMMITTEE OR COMMISSION MEETING.

To make an appointment for special needs please call 920-876-2122

VILLAGE BOARD MEMBERS

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**The Village of Elkhart Lake
Clerk's office will be closed on
November 28th & 29th**

**In observance of the
Thanksgiving Holiday**



The Village of Elkhart Lake Clerk's office will be closed on:

*December 24th & 25th
Merry Christmas*

*December 31st & January 1st
Happy New Year!*



Village of Elkhart Lake

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For those of you on Facebook, the Village of Elkhart Lake now has its own page. We will provide updates on garbage collection, voting, office closures, and other related Village business. Please give our page a LIKE!



Property Tax Collection Information

Property tax bills can be paid at the Village Offices at 40 Pine Street from 8:00 am to 4:00 pm Monday-Thursday and 8:00 am – noon Friday. [If the Village office is closed, payments can be dropped in the drop box located at the top of the stairs to the left \(east\) of the Pine Street entrance.](#) You can also drop your payment off at Cleveland State Bank in Elkhart Lake or National Exchange Bank & Trust in Elkhart Lake. If you have any questions, please call the Clerk's office at 876-2122.

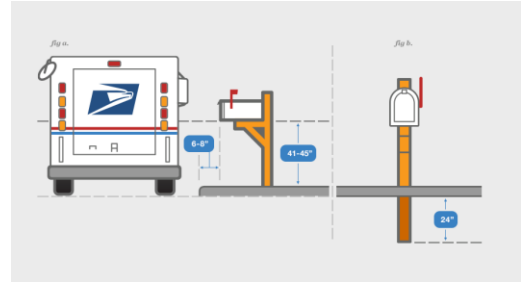


BUILDING PERMIT REMINDER!

If you are planning a construction project on your home or business you must apply for a building permit. Permits must be obtained prior to commencement of work. Failure to do so will result in double the permit fees and may result in a fine of up to \$1000. If you are unsure if your project requires a permit, please call the Clerk's Office at 920-876-2122.

Mailbox Placement & Snow Plowing

The US Postal Service has guidelines to follow when placing your mailbox at your residence. The mailbox needs to be 41" to 45" from the road surface to the bottom of the mailbox or the point of mail entry. The mailbox also needs to be 6" to 8" back from the curb or curb line. Below is a drawing with these specifications.



Winter Parking Regulations

Parking is allowed overnight in the N. East Street parking lot until 6 am; at that time your vehicle must be moved until 9 am.



6.02 (3) (a) No parking of any motor vehicle shall be permitted on either side of any Village street or in the parking lot north of Square Street between the hours of 2 A.M. and 6 A.M. and no parking in the lot on North East Street from 6 A.M. until 9 A.M. commencing the **fifteenth (15th) day of November** and ending on the first (1st) day of April of every year.

(b) Any vehicle parked in violation of the provisions of this ordinance shall be removed from the streets and stored, and such removal and storage shall be at the expense of the owner of said vehicle.

Vehicles violating this ordinance will be ticketed.

Snow Removal

Please remember that we have many residents and visitors who walk our sidewalks on a daily basis. It is a property owner's responsibility to keep all sidewalks clear of snow and ice so that all may use the sidewalks without fear of slipping. **Please check your sidewalks periodically for snow, slush, and ice.** Property owners who own corner lots must be sure to clear out the entire width of the corner access to crosswalks. A small path through is not sufficient, especially for those using wheelchairs, power scooters, or strollers. **Snow may not be pushed into the street.**

According to section 10.03 of the Village of Elkhart Lake Code:

- The owner, occupant or person in charge of each and every building or structure or unoccupied lot in the Village fronting or abutting any street, shall clean or cause to be cleaned the sidewalk in front of or adjoining each such home, building or unoccupied lot as the case may be, of snow or ice to the width of such sidewalk within 14 hours of any snowfall, within any 24-hour period.
- No person, firm, company or corporation shall push, place, shovel or blow snow or ice into or across Village streets, alleys, or around or against water hydrants.
- As to (1) above, the Village may remove the snow or ice accumulated in violation of this section and charge the reasonable cost of the same against the owner of the property affected by placing it on the tax roll; or as to (1) above and as to (2) above, any person or persons found to be in violation of this section, upon conviction thereof, shall forfeit not less than \$1.00 nor more than \$50.00, together with costs of prosecution.



You will not be notified that snow needs to be removed. If you have not shoveled in the time prescribed in ordinance 10.03, the Village will clear your sidewalk and bill you.

Garbage Collection Issues

Please call Waste Management at 1-888-960-0008 if you have any questions, they miss your pick-up or for repairs to carts. Make sure to use our Customer ID# 82300982379. Then please call the Clerk's office at 920-876-2122 and let us know. There have been some issues with the transition to Waste Management and the Village is trying to keep track of the issues people are experiencing.

Garbage Collection Holiday Schedule 2024

Memorial Day – Tuesday, May 28, 2024

Independence Day – Normal Monday PU

Labor Day- Tuesday, September 3, 2024

Thanksgiving Day– Normal Monday PU

Christmas Day – Normal Monday PU



From the Elkhart Lake Police Department:



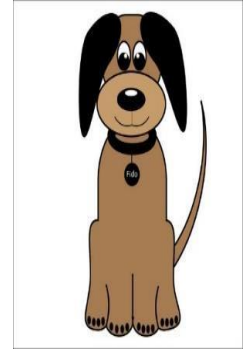
Medicines go here...



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Please do not put medications in the Police Drop Box on the outside of the Village Hall. The Police Department has a **secure medication** drop box located in the lobby of the police department. It is available to have any pill medications dropped during normal business hours. This program is in cooperation with the Sheboygan County Planning Department and is intended to keep old harmful medications from entering our water supply. Any old medications can be dropped off in the box and will be disposed of without charge. **Medications should be removed from their containers, so medicine only goes in.** This means no packaging (bottles, blister packages, etc.) should go into the box. **Also very important: please do not place any other medical waste, syringes, or liquids in the drop box.** Any questions, please contact us at 920-876-2244.

Attention Dog Owners: It is unlawful for a dog to be within *any public park or beach or the fireman's park or beach* except as provided in the Village of Elkhart Lake-Glenbeulah Athletic Association Park rules and regulations (1)b14.



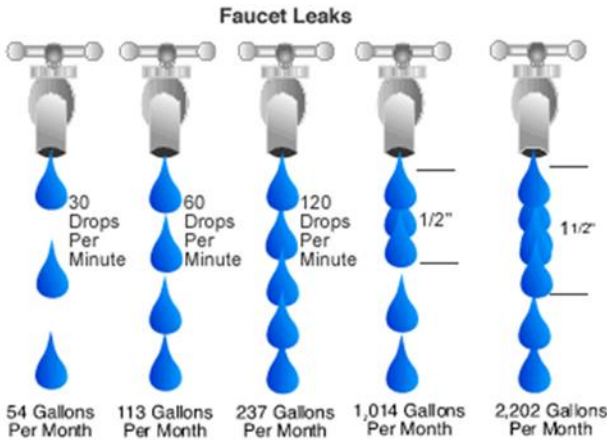
VILLAGE ORDINANCE 8.27: It shall be unlawful for any person who owns, harbors, or keeps a dog to permit such dogs to **run at large** any time of year within the Village limits. Any dog which is off the premises of its owner or keeper must be under the control of an **attendant holding a leash**, maximum of 8 feet. Any dog on owner's premise which is not leashed (15 feet maximum), fenced in, or under control of an attendant would be considered running at large.

VILLAGE ORDINANCE 8.29: Any person owning or having control of any animal shall **clean up** the feces of such animal immediately and dispose of it in a sanitary manner when the animal has defecated on the property of another or on **public property**. The Village has installed Dog Refuse Stations throughout the Village to help in the cleanup effort. The stations are located at the North and South ends of the Lake Street Walkway, near Village Square Park, on South Lake Street near Elm Street, on Osthoff Avenue, at Lions Park, on East Rhine Street near Charlene's, and on East Rhine Street near Cal & Gus.



Dog Licenses are due March 31st

Please stop in at the Village Hall to provide proof of rabies vaccination and pay the fee (\$7.00 per spayed or neutered dog and \$14.00 per dog if not spayed or neutered.)



*****Please remember not to flush sanitary wipes, sanitizing wipes or any other wipes into the sewer. Even flushable wipes are not tolerable.*****

The Village is continually testing its water for contaminants. In order to ensure that tap water is safe to drink, the EPA prescribes regulations that limit the amounts of certain contaminants in water provided by public water systems. The Elkhart Lake Water Utility annually files a report about the water quality in the Village. The 2021 Consumer Confidence Report is available to view online or via paper copy.

To view it online visit www.elkhartlakewi.gov/departments/water.
To obtain a paper copy, please stop in at the Clerk's Office at 40 Pine Street, call 876-2122 or email clerk@elkhartlakewi.gov.

**Pay your water bill automatically!
Call the Village Clerk's Office at
920-876-2122 for more
information.**

Sewer rates have increased effective January 1, 2024. This is due to an increase in the rate Northern Moraine Utility is charging the Village sewer rates are now \$7.55 per 100 cubic feet. Please contact the Village Administrator/Clerk-Treasurer's Office at (920) 876-2122 if you have questions related to water billing or village sewer systems

You may not realize how a small leak can be costly. Below is an image that shows that a faucet dripping only 30 drops per minutes can mean that 54 gallons are lost a month. If you have a leaking toilet that is leaking at 1/4 gallon per minute, it can use 10,800 gallons per month and can cost over \$125 in water and sewer charges in one month in the Village of Elkhart Lake. If you suspect your toilet is running or leaking you can contact the public works department and they can check for a leaking toilet. If you have any questions, please call 920-876-2122.



December Events

Kids

Holiday Shrinky Dinks (3yrs+) - Tue., Dec. 3rd @ 3:15pm
Registration required (through Events calendar or call)

Preschool Story Time - Th. Dec. 5th, 12th, & 19th @ 9:30am
(No story time on Dec. 26th)

Board Gamers - Mondays @ 3:15pm (5th grade & up)

Adults

Upcycled Wreaths- Tue., Dec. 3rd @ 10am OR 6pm
Registration required (through Events calendar or by phone)

First Friday Matinee - Fri., Dec. 6th @ 1 pm
"You've Got Mail"

Ukulele Group - Th., Dec. 12th @ 1 pm

Book Club - Fri., Dec. 13th @ 1 pm

Fiber Arts Circle - Tue., Dec. 17th @ 1pm

Coffee Hour - Wednesdays at 10am



LIBRARY HOLIDAY HOURS

CLOSED: Thursday & Friday- Nov. 28th & 29th

OPEN: Saturday, Nov. 30th - 9am-2pm

CLOSED: Tuesday Dec. 24th & Wednesday Dec. 25th

CLOSED: Tuesday Dec. 31st & Wednesday Jan. 1st



Christmas in the Square with Visits with Santa under the Depot sponsored by ElkhartCares! The Chamber will host their Christmas in the Square and Village Tree Lighting from 4pm-6:30pm downtown Elkhart Lake. Come enjoy the sounds of the seasons with carriage rides, holiday treats and more! ElkhartCares will have Santa and other surprises under our historic train depot. We will kick off the holiday season and light the tree at 6:15pm. See you there!



**SAVE THE
DATE!
JANUARY 24, 25
& 26TH**



At ElkhartCares, we are dedicated to providing essential support to individuals and families in need. Through our programs, we ensure that our community has access to necessary resources and opportunities for a better future.

Our programs include:

My Own Door:

- Household Needs
- Fuel Support
- Food Support
- Civic Support
 - Grants for First Responders
- Transportation Support
- Back-to-School Supplies
- Warm Winter Clothes
- Holiday Support

Reading Hearts:

- Scholarships
 - Technical School, Sports Equipment, Musical Instruments, Summer Camp, Daycare, College, Creative Interests
- Library Programs
 - Summer Reading Program, Reading Days
- Teacher Grants
 - Supplies for Special Needs Students, Special School Trips, Additional Classroom Materials



Support Our Mission

Your Contribution Matters! All donations are tax-deductible and can be made at www.elkhartcares.org/donate
Need Assistance? If you or someone you know can benefit from our services, apply for assistance online at www.elkhartcares.org/apply
Together, we can make a difference. Donate today and help us offer hope and assistance to those in need.