

What's Happening?

OCTOBER 10

Large Trash/Junk Pick Up—for details including acceptable items check out the website or the Village Hall window.

October 31

Trick or Treating at your own discretion within the village

December TBD

Caroling on the Corner — great event for the whole family.

Lawrence Memorial Library is Open!

The library cares about the community and is taking measures to keep everyone safe and healthy.

Hours: Monday — Thursday 1-6pm and Saturday 9a-12p.

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Council meetings are held on the 1st & 3rd
Tuesday of each month at 7:30pm
in the Historical Society Room at
Lawrence Memorial Library

Roads

This year we were able to have 4 roads completely rebuilt. This was possible because our village received a matching grant allowing us to rebuild 3 more roads than our usual budget.



You will notice over the next couple years, we will be chipsealing these newer roads to protect them. I know we often get questions like “Why are you working on that road? It looks fine.” The answer to that question is that we need to protect our newly rebuilt roads which will make them last years longer than they would if they weren’t maintained. It is a HUGE investment to completely rebuild a road and we are trying to protect those investments and extend the longevity the best we can.

Next year we will put some extra work into our sidewalks. Due to the pandemic this year, we do expect a decrease in our road funding which may affect how much we can accomplish next summer. It is my goal to continue to look for grants and other funding that will allow us to continue to beautify our roads & sidewalks.

Public Safety

Help keep all of our citizens safe by following the 25 MPH speed limit within our village.

Remember to Vote!



VILLAGE OF CLIMAX

FALL NEWS

October 2020

Fall Leaf Pick Up Schedule

The leaf pick-up schedule will be followed by the DPW staff to the best of their ability.

Please understand that circumstances beyond their control may prevent them from following the exact schedule.

Monday—Main & Maple Streets curbs and gutters only.

Tuesday—Church, Cherry and Sheldon Streets

Wednesday—Main & Maple Streets—Non-Curbs and gutters and Ebinger Street.

Thursday—Hancock, Lovell & Watson Streets

Friday—Maple Circle area streets and Sunnymead area streets

Water

Thank you for paying your water bills on time. It enables the village to properly maintain our water supply.

Ordinances & Enforcement

Thank you to our citizens who are being mindful of the laws and regulations of the village. The village council encourages all citizens to abide by our village ordinances. Copies of the entire Code of Ordinances are available for your review on the village website or at the Village Hall by appointment.

Leaf Pick Up Guidelines

If you would like your leaves picked up please follow these guidelines:

- ⇒ Place leaves between the sidewalk and the road. DO NOT place leaves on the road—this can quickly plug drains.
- ⇒ DO NOT put sticks, walnuts or pine needles in with the leaves.
- ⇒ DO NOT put mulched leaves of any kind (including leaves picked up with baggers) out to be picked up.

IMPORTANT NOTE:

All of the above items can damage the village equipment. The mulched leaf mass becomes a very heavy concentration of materials especially when it rains. The leaf vacuum impeller is easily damaged due to heavy, compacted material, resulting in costly repairs.

For those residents who prefer to mulch leaves or those who have the above mentioned items, the village offers access to the brush pile for FREE!

Permits, Inspections, Zoning

The village council has contracted with Safebuilt for all of our inspection needs. We will soon have a link on our website which will allow you access to permit applications & resources. Glenn & Kellie Lyndsey are excited to be a help to Climax village residents.

Village Brush Pile

As a service to Climax Village residents, the Village of Climax allows VILLAGE RESIDENTS ONLY to drop off brush and branches at the designated site located in the well field at the end of Sunflower Street.

- Brush /tree limbs 3 inches or less in diameter.
 - Brush /tree limbs cut to 4 foot length or less.
 - Small amount only (A "small amount" is one load that will fit into the bed of a pickup truck)
 - Pickups on Fridays - *if time allows*
- Brush/tree debris that does not meet these measurements will not be picked up. Remember all tree debris is the responsibility of the homeowner to dispose of properly.

Grass clippings and leaves can also be dumped in their designated areas for composting.

This area is not for junk or garbage. Anyone found to be dumping junk or garbage may be prosecuted.

From April 1—November 1 hours:
Monday—Friday 8:30 a.m.—3:30 p.m.
1st & 3rd Weekends each month

Saturday—Sunday 9:00 a.m.— 5:00 p.m.
The gate will be locked when the brush pile is closed.