

GREENWOOD DIRECTORY

CITY HALL

Location: 20225 Cottagewood Road
Deephaven, MN 55331
Hours: 8am to 4:30pm, Monday-Friday
Summer Hours (Memorial Day to Labor Day):
8am to 5pm, Monday-Thursday
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Main Phone: 952.474.6633
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CITY COUNCIL

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LMCC

The Lake Minnetonka Communications Commission provides community programming (including council meetings) on channels 8, 12, 20 & 21. Meetings also may be viewed at www.lmcc-tv.org where you can use "agenda parsing" to skip to the topic you want to view.

PUBLIC SAFETY

Request a Police Officer: 911
Fire or Medical Emergency: 911
Domestic Animal Services: 763.525.6210
South Lake Minnetonka Police Department:
952.474.3261, M-F, 8:30am to 4:30pm
www.southlakepd.com
Excelsior Fire District:
952.401.8801, M-F, 9:30 am to 2pm
www.excelsiorfire.org
Citywide Emergency:
TV Emergency Broadcast System
WCCO Radio 830
Sign up for alerts at www.nixle.com
Call Before You Dig:
Gopher State One Call, 651.454.0002

SOUTHSHORE CENTER

A place for all ages. Available for rent.
Location: 5735 Country Club Rd, Shorewood
Phone: 952.474.7635
Email: director@southshore-center.org
Website: www.southshore-center.org



July 4th Celebration

Greenwood will celebrate July 4th with our annual parade that travels from Greenwood Park to the Old Log Theater. Dress in red, white, and blue. Decorate your bike, wagon, or stroller. Bring your family and friends to join in the fun!

This year there will be a free raffle for kids 18 and under to ride in the fire truck as the parade's Grand Marshal.

There also will be other prizes, games, and treats for the kids. **And NEW July 4th t-shirts will be on sale for \$10.** Meet at the park by Covington and Meadville at 9:45am on July 4. The parade starts at 10am. Questions? Contact Kristi Conrad at 952.285.5345.

Support the Fireworks

Each year spectacular fireworks are launched from Excelsior Bay. The fireworks are funded primarily by private donations. Send a check to South Lake - Excelsior Chamber of Commerce, PO Box 32, Excelsior, MN 55331. Note: This newsletter is delivered after the fireworks deadline, so contributions may not be acknowledged in the program. But donations of any size still are encouraged and appreciated!



2012 City Road Projects

Each spring the city engineer gives a rating (poor to good) to all city roads and prepares estimates for potential projects. The city council chooses projects that best use the road budget with the goal to rehabilitate roads that are "poor" and to sealcoat "good" roads to extend pavement life. This year's projects will be **Central Avenue, Curve Street, the east leg of Greenwood Circle, and the stub by the city docks.** Construction will begin in July and will be completed in August. Questions? Contact Councilman Bob Quam at 952.474.1847.

Milfoil Update

St. Alban's Bay Captain Rob Roy reports that a few single plants have been found, otherwise Eurasian Water Milfoil (EWM) is practically nonexistent in St. Alban's Bay due to last year's treatment. A great success thanks all who participated! Now that EWM is controlled, bay users are noticing another aquatic invasive species (AIS) called Curly-leaf Pondweed (which dies off in mid-summer) and a native species called Water Buttercup. Go to carmanbay.org to see examples of AIS vs. natives. The intent of the baywide program is to treat EWM, not to get rid of all of the native weeds along the shoreline. The 2012 budget funded by contributions from lakeshore owners, friends of the bay, and the cities of Greenwood and Excelsior, will be spent on plant surveys, spot treatments of EWM if needed, or saved for future AIS treatments. Lakeshore owners can get individual DNR permits to treat native plants if desired. Rob also would like to extend a special thank-you to Nancy Brown (north shore captain) who has moved from the city. If anyone would like to help on the north shore or has questions, contact Rob Roy at 612.387.4443, lrobroy@msn.com.

SAVE OUR SUMMERS



 CLEAN
 DRAIN
 DRY

STOP ZEBRA MUSSELS

Aquatic Invasive Species (AIS) threaten the lakes and streams Minnesotans hold dear. Boaters must clean, drain and dry their equipment before entering uninfested water to keep the mussels from spreading. Fishing, boating and barefoot walks on the beach will be missed if we don't Save Our Summers.






FREE Ice Cream Social @ Old Log



On Sunday, July 29 at 4:30pm, the Old Log will host an old-fashioned ice cream social featuring the John Philip Sousa Memorial Band with Scott Crosbie. The outdoor concert and ice cream social are free to the public. Invite your friends and family!

City Sign Project

To comply with federal retroreflectivity standards, the city will be replacing all signs in the city over the next few years. New signs will be mounted on wood posts with steel anchors. This system costs less than traditional metal posts, and the natural look fits with the character of Greenwood. **Old signs will be available on a first-come, first-served basis.**

If you are interested in having an old sign as a keepsake, feel free to take any sign that is lying on the ground. Unclaimed signs will be picked up for recycling.



Sign Up for City Emails

Go to www.greenwoodmn.com and click on "Email List" to subscribe to the city email system to receive monthly council agendas, minutes, etc.

Friendly Reminder: Pay Your Utility Bill

Unpaid balances on your utility bill for sewer, stormwater, and recycling must be paid in full on or before **September 15, 2012**. If the past due amount is not paid, the amount will be levied for payment with your property taxes.

2011-12 Dog Tags

Dogs are required to be licensed in the city. Get tags at city hall or download the application at www.greenwoodmn.com to complete the process by mail.

Thank You Greenwood Gardeners!

The city thanks our Greenwood Gardeners for making the entry signs to our city beautiful ...



Deephaven Sign: **Pam Ryan**
 Christmas Lake Road Sign: **Anonymous**
 Manor Road Sign: **Kiersa Carlson**
 Villas Sign: **Jeff & Malena Schmidt and Joan Slattery**

Greenwood History & Photos Needed

An archive of Greenwood history is being developed and your help is needed. If you have history information and/or photos of Greenwood from the past or present, please email to Mayor Kind at dkind100@gmail.com. Photos will be displayed at www.greenwoodmn.com.

Night to Unite

Join the Minnesota Crime Prevention Association and communities throughout the state for the annual "Night to Unite" on Tuesday, August 7. If you would like an officer from the South Lake Minnetonka Police Department to stop by your neighborhood gathering, contact Dave Hohertz at 952.960.1619 or dhohertz@southlakepd.com.



Tour de Tonka

The 7th Annual Tour de Tonka bike ride will be Saturday, August 4, 7:30am beginning at Minnetonka High School. Tour de Tonka benefits the ICA Food Shelf. Some routes travel through Greenwood. To volunteer or register, visit www.tourdetonka.org. Questions? Contact Councilman Bob Quam at 952.474.1847.



FREE Testing of Cable TV Connection

Residents and businesses may have their incoming cable TV service tested by a Lake Minnetonka Communications Commission consultant. Contact the LMCC at 952.471.7125 or Greenwood City Council LMCC Representative Tom Fletcher at 952.224.5550.

Forms Online Commonly used forms are available at www.greenwoodmn.com

Did You Know?

City code requires commercial tree contractors to be licensed by the city.

Licensing requires that the contractor prove they are insured in case damage is caused to people or property. Note: The ordinance does not prohibit a property owner from trimming their own trees.

KEY DATES

July 5	City Council Meeting, 7pm
July 18	Planning Commission Meeting, 7pm
Aug. 1	City Council Budget Worksession, 6pm City Council Meeting, 7pm
Aug. 15	Planning Commission Meeting, 7pm
Sep. 6	City Council Budget Worksession, 6pm City Council Meeting, 7pm
Sep. 19	Planning Commission Meeting, 7pm

Unless otherwise noted, all meetings are held in the Deephaven Council Chambers, 20225 Cottagewood Road

Mayor's Corner

Greenwood Quarterly SUMMER 2012
www.greenwoodmn.com

Greetings! While we all have been enjoying the summer weather in our beautiful "city on the lake," our city council has been working on several projects. Below are highlights ...

- Reviewed the first draft of an agreement between Greenwood and Excelsior for the eventual replacement or rehabilitation of the St. Alban's Bay Bridge.
- Passed a resolution opposing the 115kV upgrade of the Xcel line along the LRT trail and passed a resolution asking the Public Utilities Commission to consider Greenwood's concerns if the 115kV upgrade is approved.
- Working on establishing a new "sump pump program" to ensure city taxpayers are not paying to treat clean water.
- Approved the installation of a canoe rack at the Meadville boat launch. Sign up for the city email system at www.greenwoodmn.com to get updates regarding the canoe rack application process.

Got questions? City council contact information is on the other side of this newsletter. Have a great summer!

— Mayor Deb Kind



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