



Quarterly

3RD QUARTER 2015

GREENWOOD DIRECTORY

CITY HALL

Location: 20225 Cottagewood Road
Deephaven, MN 55331
Regular Hours: 8am to 4:30pm, Monday-Friday
Summer Hours (Memorial Day to Labor Day):
8am to 5pm, Monday-Thursday
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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. Or view at www.lmcc-tv.org where you may use "agenda parsing" to skip to the topic you want to view.

PUBLIC SAFETY

Request a Police Officer: 911
Non-Emergency Number 952.258.5321
Fire or Medical Emergency: 911
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: Alerts will be sent via the city email system (sign up at www.greenwoodmn.com) and will be posted at www.greenwoodmn.com.
Watch TV Emergency Broadcast System.
Listen to WCCO Radio 830. Sign up for regional 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

LAKE MINNETONKA USA

Parade

Greenwood will celebrate July 4th with our annual parade that travels from Greenwood Park to the Old Log and back. Dress in red, white, and blue. Decorate your bike, wagon, or stroller. After the parade, there will be games, prizes, and treats for kids.

Bring your family and friends to join in the fun! Meet at the park by Covington and Fairview at 9:45am. The parade starts at 10am.

JULY 4TH T-SHIRTS WILL BE AVAILABLE AT THE PARADE FOR \$10.
Questions: Kristi Conrad 952.285.5345.

Parking

July 4 parking is available at the Old Log for \$5 per vehicle. Parking is FREE if you have dinner or attend the show at the Old Log on July 4.

Fireworks

Join your neighbors and friends and view the spectacular Excelsior Bay fireworks display beginning at dusk on July 4.

Contribute

Please contribute to the July 4th Celebration by mailing a check to the Excelsior - Lake Minnetonka Chamber of Commerce, 37 Water Street, Excelsior, MN 55331. Your support is appreciated!

City Hall Changes

Greenwood's city clerk and zoning administrator **GUS KARPAS** accepted a new job in sunny Florida! Gus provided zoning services for the cities of Deephaven, Greenwood, and Woodland for 16 years. We wish him and his family all the best with their new life in Florida.

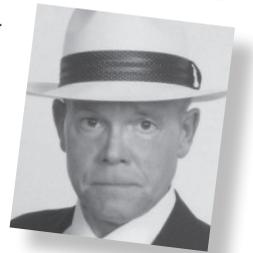
On May 13, **DALE COONEY** started his new position as the zoning administrator for Deephaven, Greenwood, and Woodland. Dale has a Master's Degree in Urban & Regional Planning from the University of Minnesota. He has worked for Model Cities Community Development Corporation and for the city of Medina. Residents may contact Dale at dalec@mediacombb.net 952.358.9938.

Deephaven city administrator **DANA YOUNG** will be providing clerk services for Greenwood. Residents may contact Dana at danayoung@mchsi.com 952.358.9939.

In Memory of Kelsey

Hat-wearing, classic-red-convertible-driving, former Greenwood city councilman

H. KELSEY PAGE, age 62, passed away on May 23, 2015 at his Greenwood home of causes related to his extended struggle with cancer. Kelsey lived in Greenwood most of his life. He graduated from Minnetonka High School, the University of Minnesota, and from Hamline University School of Law. In addition to serving on the Greenwood city council, Kelsey served on the Greenwood planning commission, Lake Minnetonka Conservation District board, and Beacon Bank board. A Mass of Christian Burial was held on May 29 at St. Hubert Catholic Church. Kelsey will be missed!



Smoke Test Coming!

Greenwood will be smoke testing parts of our sanitary sewer system this fall to identify areas and sources where rainwater and groundwater are entering the system (not supposed to happen). It is important to keep rainwater and groundwater out of our sanitary sewer system as it is very expensive to treat requires no treatment if it stays out of the sanitary system). Smoke testing uses a non-toxic smoke that is pumped into the sanitary sewer system which, in properly operating systems, only vents in the street at manholes and through roof vents on gravity served houses.

The city will hold an open house to discuss and describe the process followed by an email blast to city email subscribers and individual notifications starting a few weeks before the testing begins. We also will be placing a presentation on the city's website. Stay tuned for more information. See article below for information about how to sign up to receive city emails.

Sign Up for City Emails

To subscribe to the city email system, visit www.greenwoodmn.com and click on "Email List" tab. Once activated, you will receive links to council agendas, minutes, and other items of community interest.

Did You Know?

Storage Piles Must Be Screened from View

Greenwood ordinance code section 900.65 states that storage piles must be "shielded from public view by an opaque cover or fence." As a courtesy to your neighbors, please remove your storage piles or shield them from public view. Thank you!

KEY DATES

July 1	City Council Meeting, 7pm
July 15	Planning Commission Meeting, 7pm
Aug 5	City Council Meeting, 7pm
Aug 19	Planning Commission Meeting, 7pm
Sep 2	City Council Meeting, 7pm
Sep 16	Planning Commission Meeting, 7pm

All meetings are held in the Deephaven Council Chambers, 20225 Cottagewood Road

Thank You Greenwood Gardeners!



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

Deephaven Sign: Kristen Lewis (new this year!)

Christmas Lake Road Sign: Anonymous

Manor Road Sign: Kiersa Carlson & Carole Sayer

Villas Sign: Jeff & Malena Schmidt and Joan Slattery

2015 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 seal coat "good" roads to extend pavement life. At the July council meeting, the city council is hoping to approve bids to: reconstruct **MINNETONKA BLVD** (north section shared with Shorewood); reconstruct **MEADVILLE STREET** (between the entrances of the Old Log); install a "traffic calming" median at the intersection of **MINNETONKA BLVD & MEADVILLE**; paint a "traffic calming" centerline stripe and SLOW at the east leg corner of **GREENWOOD CIRCLE**. Work will begin in July and will be completed in August. Questions: Councilman Bob Quam 952.474.1847.

Utility Bill Reminder

Unpaid balances on your city utility bill must be paid in full on or before **SEPT 14**. If the past-due amount is not paid, the amount will be levied for payment with your property taxes.

Night to Unite

Join the Minnesota Crime Prevention Association and communities throughout the state for the annual "Night to Unite" on **TUESDAY, AUGUST 4**. 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 dhohertz@southlakepd.com.

Tour de Tonka

This 10th annual event will take place on **SATURDAY, AUGUST 1** beginning at Minnetonka High School and the Minnetonka Community Education building. Explore one of 6 scenic routes through the Lake Minnetonka area and surrounding communities (some routes travel through Greenwood). Volunteers also are needed. Visit www.tourdetonka.org for details and registration.

2015-16 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.

Mayor's Corner

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Summer is here – yippee! Below is a quick report of city items of interest ...

- *This fall the city will be conducting a "smoke test" to identify inflow and infiltration problem areas in the sanitary sewer system (see article above).*
- *I serve on the South Lake Minnetonka Police Department Coordinating Committee. We recently heard a report from Interim Chief Mike Siitari regarding his assessment of the strengths and opportunities of the department. His recommendations will be very helpful in the hiring process for our next chief in the coming months.*
- *Long-time Greenwood zoning administrator Gus Karpas has moved to Florida! Gus also served as our city clerk since 2010. He was fun to work with and will be missed (see article on other side).*
- *Long-time Greenwood resident and former city councilman Kelsey Page passed away on May 23 (see article on other side). I enjoyed getting to know Kelsey when we served on the city council together. He will be missed!*

Please join me at our annual July 4th Parade (details on other side). I hope to see you there! — Mayor Deb Kind



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