Township Clean Up Day

May 5th, 2018

7:30 am - Noon

Items accepted for a reasonable fee include:

Appliances, electronics, scrap metal, tires, furniture and mattresses.

Items **NOT** accepted include:

Household hazardous wastes and household garbage.

The site is located at the intersection of 70th Ave and 72nd Street, north of Clear Lake.

Sherburne County also has yard compost sites free of charge in four locations. For more information, go to their website:

www.co.sherburne.mn.us



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Resident

CLEAR LAKE TOWNSHIP *Newsletter*

Clear Lake Township History Books Now Available

Enjoy reading about Clear Lake History including the trading posts, the pickle house, the railroad and so much more!



For more information contact: Bud Stimmler (320) 761-5793 <u>bogie375@gmail.com</u> Book cost \$15.00

Chairman's Corner

My name is Gary Gray and I have been on the Clear Lake Township board since 2004 and the Chairman since 2011. I would like to take a few moments to update you on some of the activities that the board is working on for you, the residents of Clear Lake Township. First, no issue in Clear Lake Township is more important than any other, no matter what the scope of the issue is. We are very approachable and hope that you will contact the township with any issue you feel needs to be addressed.

We are currently in the final stages of renegotiating the fire contract with the City of Clear Lake for fire protection and emergency medical services. This will better fit the dynamics of the fire department and save the township some money. Although not perfect, it is much better for all parties. We are also in the early stages of an orderly annexation with the City of Clear Lake which will protect the interest of Clear Lake Township property owners and the long-term future of the township.

For the past five years we have been planning for a new town hall which will help streamline our services and make us more efficient as a board. We were granted approval for the building of the new town hall at our annual meeting in March. We are also evaluating a fire department water fill station to help in the event of a large fire within the township or city. Our main goal is to keep our 34 miles of roads in great shape for you and the safety of the traveling public. As you can see the township has a lot of moving parts and we try as a board to do what is fiscally proper for the township but at the same time provide high quality services for you the tax paying residents of Clear Lake Township.

Once again, please feel free to contact us by email with anything you feel needs to be addressed. I believe I speak for the whole board when I say that it is a privilege to serve you and thank you for the trust that you have shown in us.

Gary H. Gray cltwpchairman@hotmail.com

2018 Road Projects OVERLAY PROJECTS:

 97th Street Overlay from TH 10 to County Road 53

SEAL COAT PROJECTS:

- 92nd Street from the Mississippi River to 58th Avenue
- 70th Avenue from 90th Street to TH 10

Township Monthly Meetings

Monthly Township Board Meetings are held the third Tuesday of each month at 7:00 pm at the Clear Lake Township Hall. If you would like to be on the agenda, please email the Clerk at:

clearlaketwp@hotmail.com

For More Township Information Visit Our Website:

www.clearlaketownship.org

2018 IS AN ELECTION YEAR

Avoid long lines and vote early!

- June 29 Absentee Balloting Begins for the Primary Election
- Aug. 14 Primary Election Day
- Sep. 21 Absentee Balloting Begins for the General Election
- Nov. 6 General Election Day

Visit the Secretary of State website where you will find:

Register to vote, vote early by absentee, election day voting, what's on my ballot.

http://www.sos.state.mn.us

Be an election judge!

Get paid \$15 an hour to be an election judge. Please contact Clear Lake Township for training dates and times:

clearlaketwp@hotmail.com

New Electronic Poll Pad Sign-in

On election days, voters will use the new electronic sign-in pads:



The new wireless tablet-based system is designed to make it easier for *poll* workers to find voters' names and eliminate the waits that can happen when workers have to pore through printed binders arranged alphabetically.