



EDMORE VILLAGE NEWS

DPW Moving to Sunrise



After being located for many years on the corner of Gilson and Sheldon Street the Edmore Department of Public Works will be relocating to the Sunrise Industrial Park. The former Hitachi site and Edmore Police office will now serve as the garage and offices for the DPW. The move is expected to be completed by Wednesday, June 1, 2016. The village will have an open house on Wednesday, June 8 from 5pm-7pm for the public to tour the new facility.

May 10th Village Spring Clean-Up

Village residents must have their refuse placed curbside by May 10, 2016 as Waste Management will begin pickup and will only make one pickup at each residence. Please break down refuse to allow for ease of handling. Refuse placed in the right-of-way after May 10th may be subject to enforcement of a Civil Infraction Ticket.

Village Code Enforcement & Montcalm Sheriff Department Enforcing Blight Ordinance

Village code enforcement will work with the Montcalm Sheriff's Department this spring to ensure enforcement of the blight ordinance. The Code Enforcement Office will send letters and or citations to owners of properties in violation. The Village of Edmore Blight Ordinance serves to prevent areas of the Village that are, or may become, blighted with the resulting impairment of taxable values. The Village of Edmore and other local units of government depend on these values to operate. It also serves to eliminate areas that are detrimental to the health, safety, and general welfare of the citizens, property owners, and economic welfare of the community. The goal of enforcement is to improve and maintain the general character of the Village, and where necessary rehabilitate such blighted areas and ensure neighborhoods remain aesthetically desirable for single-family residential development.

Elected Village Officials

Karl Kluwe, President
Jamie Ballard, Pro-Tem
Eddie Adams, Trustee
Bonnie Ashbaugh, Trustee
Karen Deja, Trustee
Phil Kohn, Trustee
Bonnie Davis, Trustee

Appointed Village Officials

Neil Rankin, Village Manager
Tracy Fockler, Finance Director/Clerk
Andy Andersen, DPW - Supervisor
Elaine Leak, Treasurer
Jack Miller, DDA Chair
Rich Adgate, Planning Chair

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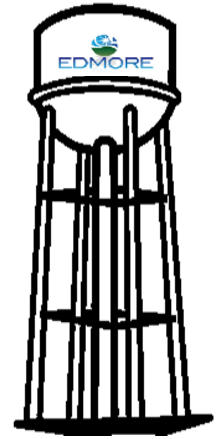
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Village Calendar

EDMORE DPW NEWS

Village Water Tower Getting A Facelift

Work on the rehabilitating and updating of the village water tower will begin this spring. The water tower was constructed in 1955 but it has been almost twenty years since its last paint job. This time it will be sandblasted to the bare steel and repainted inside and out. This project will include draining and enclosing the structure in an immense curtain to contain dust. The painting is done in phases- the inside and out of the tower, then the inside and outside of the 200,000 gallon water tank. This type of work can be easily derailed by the weather, especially winds, snow and rain. In addition to the new paint there will be mechanical upgrades to ensure that both the quality of the water and tank will be maintained at the highest levels for years to come.



We Want To See Your Numbers

The Edmore DPW, Local Emergency Services and the Montcalm County Building Department would like to remind residents of the Village to make sure your house and or business has approved numbers or addresses in such a position as to be plainly visible and legible from the street or road fronting the property. The Montcalm County Building Department **will not perform inspections on unidentified sites**. The Edmore DPW **may not** be able to locate a shut off valve in a water **thus costing** valuable minutes during a water emergency. Properly displaying you address could save your life! Please make sure of the following:



- Building numbers are at least 4 inches tall
- That trees or shrubs are trimmed so numbers are visible
- House numbers are lit, reflective or contrasting

Brush Clean-Up and Chipping Reminder

Yard Waste is collected for free each Tuesday of the month and brush collection/chipper service is provided the first Tuesday of the month to all single family residential properties April through November. Yard waste must be in yard waste bags that are available at the Village Offices for only \$0.50 Trash bags and tags are available for \$1.00.

Brush shall be placed in the front yard at the edge of the public street with ends sticking out.

No limbs larger than 4 inches in diameter will be accepted.

Piles of brush should be stacked neatly and orderly and under four feet in height.

No vines or loose leaves will be accepted, lawn bags are available for purchase at the village office.

Brush intertwined with plastics will not be accepted.

No metal or wire (fencing, electrical cable, root balls, etc) will be accepted.

No lot clearing debris, whole tree or byproducts of commercial cutting/trimming will be accepted.

Limit the weight of bags to less than 50 lbs.

Place by the curb by 7:30 a.m.

Village Calender

Music By The Pond



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| Sunday, May 29th | Triple Shot Band | Country, Southern Rock, Oldies |
| Sunday, June 26th | "Moriah" | Inspirational, Folk, Americana, Rock & Country Oldies |
| Sunday, July 31st | Wildcard | Rock, Country, Easy Listening |
| Sunday, August 28th | "Abbott & Ballard" | Rock, Country, Oldies, Easy Listening |

Performances at Music by the Pond begin at 6:30 p.m. Parking is available at the Curtis Community Building on Sheldon Street. Attendees should bring their own lawn chairs or blankets. Concerts will be held inside the Curtis Community Building in case of rain.

News & Notes

Having a graduation party, family reunion, corporate or organizational gathering this summer? Stop by or call the village office for more information to rent the pavilion at Glenn Curtis Memorial Park.

Recycling containers at Sunrise have moved.

To reduce the amount of cardboard and recyclables that get scattered because of the wind the Edmore DPW has relocated the dumpsters a few feet north behind the blue loading dock building.

2016 Water Consumer Confidence Reports will be available July 1st. Copies will be available online at www.edmore.org and at the village offices.

EWaste Recycling Program

Do you have old electronics? You can recycle computer components and accessories such as laptops, monitors, keyboards, mice, printers, speakers, powercords, etc. Almost anything with a cord or battery. (Comprenew will destroy all computer hard drives.) Available on Tuesdays and Thursdays by appointment only. Call 989-831-7504 for more information.

Village Office Closed

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| Monday, May 30th | Memorial Day |
| Monday, July 4th | Independence July |
| Monday, September 5th | Labor Day |

Other Dates

Friday, June 3rd- Farmer's Market Opens For 2016. Check the village website at www.edmore.org for more details.

Saturday, June 25th - Household Hazardous Waste event at the Montcalm Career Center East of Sidney.

Friday, July 1st- Summer Taxes sent out, due September 14, 2016 with no penalty or interest.

Tuesday, July 26th - Village candidates who wish to seek office at the the November general election must file an Affidavit of Identity and a nonpartisan nominating petition at the village office.

Postcards from Edmore's Past



At the corner of Fifth and Main Street in Downtown Edmore.
Learn more about Edmore's Past at the Pine Forest Historical Forest
Museum. <https://www.facebook.com/PineForestHistoricalMuseum/>

Meetings

Village Council Meetings are held at the Curtis Community Building each second Monday of the Month at 7pm.

All other meetings are posted outside of the Village Offices at the Curtis Community Building and online at www.edmore.org.

The Village of Edmore will provide necessary reasonable auxiliary aids and services, such as sign language interpreters for the hearing im-paired, audio recordings of print-ed material being considered at the meeting, to individuals with disabilities upon 3 working days notice to the Village of Edmore.

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