

CITY OF WASHBURN QUARTERLY NEWSLETTER



Summer 2022

FROM THE MAYOR'S DESK

Together, We Are Stronger

Happy Summer! I'd like to give a shout out to some organizations and groups that have made recent contributions to the betterment of our community:

- The school district – for purchasing some needed equipment and doing work at the ballfields to get things in shape for the season
- The Washburn Area Chamber of Commerce – for organizing the “Music in the Park” series; it's so nice to see so many people enjoying that every Wednesday
- Local farmers/makers/producers – for bringing their garden and farm bounty downtown every week so that we can all share in the goodness
- The Beautification committee – for seasonal decorations throughout town
- Downtown business owners – for putting flowers out on Bayfield Street and keeping things looking good

And thanks to everyone who contributes in so many ways to make our community a little bit brighter!

The smallest act of kindness is worth more than the grandest intention.

-Oscar Wilde

Room for Improvement

Things are looking good around town, but there is always more to do. Whenever I run across something that needs attention, I pull out my phone and take a photo of it so A) I don't forget about it and B) I can email it to the City Administrator so that he can pass it along to the appropriate staff person that can address it.

I would like to ask that others follow a similar process whenever possible. It's much more likely that something will get dealt with when you contact city hall directly rather than just mentioning it to a friend or posting about it on Facebook. We'll never be completely “caught up” on things, but it helps to have a visual reminder going to the right people.

Thanks to everyone for helping to make Washburn the best it can be!

-Mayor Mary Motiff

p.s. Don't forget to vote in the August 9 partisan primary election (myvote.wi.gov for more info)

ARBOR DAY

Thanks to the Washburn/Bayfield Softball team who helped plant a flowering crabapple tree near the ballfields in May.

