

Village of Chenequa

October 2020 Newsletter

Fall is coming!

Halloween Trick or Treat

October 31 from 4:00 – 7:00 PM

2020 General Election

With this election, everyone is encouraging you to register and to vote. Unfortunately, with their efforts there is fraudulent and duplicate activity. Before you act, check with <u>My Vote Wisconsin</u> to verify your information. You may have already registered, or requested an absentee ballot. You will be able to vote in-person absentee at the Village Hall starting October 20th and running through October 30th. Please feel free to reach out with any questions you would have during this election, we are here to help you. Please also check our website <u>www.chenequa.org</u> for changes to the Election process.

– Pam and Jodi

Forestry News

Plow Markers and Driveway Clearance

Whether we like it or not, winter will be here in no time. This is why the Village of Chenequa Forestry Department is reminding residents the importance of plow markers and driveway clearance for snow plow services. Inadequate marking makes it very difficult for our Forestry Department to determine where the driveway boundaries are. As a result, extensive turf damage and large missed areas are likely. Before a heavy frost sets in the ground we recommend that if you have not done so, please take some time to properly mark your driveway boundaries. If you find that the soil is frozen we recommend using a large screwdriver and a hammer to make a "pilot hole" in the soil first.

Additionally, please take a moment to evaluate your driveway to make sure that trees/shrubs and yard ornaments are set back appropriately from the driveway. We request a minimum clearance of 12' x 12'. Now is a great time to mail in your <u>2021 Snow Plow Fee</u> as well.

Thank you for your cooperation. Cody Lincoln Forester

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Fall is just beginning! With the arrival of cooler weather, we will be seeing the trees starting to shift towards dormancy and a general decrease in the activity of insects and tree diseases.

This means that fall is a great season for tree care. Expect to see the Forestry crew out planting, pruning, and removing trees over the next several weeks in order to maintain our scenic forests.

Police Department News

Snowbird & Vacation House Watch

If you are leaving town for more than a couple of days and would like the Police Department to make a daily check of your home, please call the Police Department so we can fill out a <u>House Check</u> <u>Report</u> form for you or click on the link and email it to us.

If you will be gone for four weeks or longer, please be sure to call John's Disposal to pause your garbage pick-up while you are away.

If you have questions, feel free to call the Chenequa Police Department Non-emergency line at: 262-367-2145