



Village of Chenequa

February 2026 Newsletter

Happy St. Valentine's Day!

Welcome Diane Coenen



Diane is going to be our Elections Clerk for the Spring Primary in February and the Spring Election in April. In 2023, she was awarded the Lifetime Achievement Award by the Wisconsin Municipal Clerks Association (WMCA). She worked as the Clerk in the City of Oconomowoc for 20 years and recently retired in 2025. We are happy to have her assisting us with these important elections.



2025 tax payments that haven't been paid should be mailed to: Waukesha County Treasurer 515 W Moreland Blvd, Waukesha, WI 53188

Spring Election – February 17, 2026

In person absentee voting started Tuesday, February 3, 2026 and will be open for casting an absentee ballot in person until Friday, February 13th, 2026 – 5pm. This election is for the Swallow School District only. Please see the notice below and a sample ballot is on our website for preview prior to voting.

NOTICE OF SCHOOL BOARD PRIMARY ELECTION

FEBRUARY 17, 2026

SWALLOW SCHOOL DISTRICT

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN TO QUALIFIED ELECTORS OF THE SWALLOW SCHOOL DISTRICT, WAUKESHA COUNTY, that since more than two individuals have filed a Declaration of Candidacy form for the April 2026 election, a primary election will be held on February 17, 2026. The two candidates receiving the most votes during the primary election will have their names placed on the spring ballot for the April 7, 2026, election.

The candidates are:

Lisa Erdmann

Katie Bergmann

Colin Chance

The position is a three-year term starting on April 27, 2026 and ending April 22, 2029.

Dated this 13th day of January 2026.

Nipun Yamdagni, Clerk Swallow School District W299 N5614 Highway E Hartland, Wisconsin 53029

Forestry Department

Just a reminder, as always, no cutting of trees, brush, or any vegetation is allowed within 75' of a waterway in the Village without a permit. The purpose of this is to prevent erosion, filter runoff before it goes to the water, maintain a healthy aquatic ecosystem, and preserve the natural beauty of all the shorelines.

The Village of Chenequa employs two foresters that would be more than happy to meet with any resident on-site to help with any tree-related questions you may have.

Thank you – Cody Lincoln and Cody Hagfors