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COVID PRECAUTIONS CONTINUE

VILLAGE HALL ACCESS | If you are experiencing COVID symptoms, are currently COVID positive, or are awaiting results from a COVID test, please do not enter Village Hall. At this time, the maximum occupancy of Village Hall is 12 persons. Masks must be worn to enter and social distancing guidelines apply. The precautions are in effect to help safeguard all who enter the building. Thank you in advance for your cooperation.



LETTER FROM THE PRESIDENT | *By Roger Mellem*

My wife and I are from really big families and are used to big Thanksgiving celebrations as a kickoff to the whole holiday season. Huge turkeys, lots of pies, tons of shared dishes and an opportunity to see family that we haven't seen since *last* Thanksgiving.

This year we are complying with the pandemic guidelines so we have a teeny turkey, a teeny can of cranberries, and ingredients for a teeny pumpkin pie. We'll still see family on *FaceTime* or *Zoom* and be grateful that we, and the rest of the family are healthy!

My best wishes to you and your family and have a Happy Teeny Thanksgiving!

TREASURER | *By Robert O'Brien*

2020 TAX BILL | Annual property tax bills are anticipated to be mailed to North Bay property owners during the first week of December. Information on how to pay the tax bill can be found on the tax bill insert and the Village website. Payments are processed by Johnson Bank, 4001 North Main Street, through the drive-up lanes or by mail. Copies of tax bills can be obtained online using [Racine County's MyTaxBill](#) web app. Introduced in 2018, tax payments will show up in the Racine County system as soon as they are receipted (note there will be a 2-3 day delay for payments made at Johnson Bank). For questions on tax bills or payments, please contact the Village Treasurer, Robert O'Brien at 262-681-0898 or vnbtreasurer@northbay-wi.us.

2021 BUDGET | To review the proposed 2021 Village of North Bay Budget, please [click here](#). The URL is: <https://vnbwi.files.wordpress.com/2020/11/2021-vnb-proposed-budget.pdf>. The budget is also posted on the Village Hall bulletin board, website & appeared in the Journal Times.

DOG LICENSES | All dogs in Racine County are required to obtain rabies vaccinations and a dog license. If you recently moved to North Bay and your dog is licensed in another community,

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please provide the Treasurer with a copy of your license. Dog license renewal forms will be mailed with your property tax bill in December or [click here](#) to download the form.

CONSTABLE | *By Kristin Wright*

HEROS LIVE AMONG US | I want to take this opportunity to offer a shout out to Dori, Henry & Mark Panthofer and Dr. Mark Zimmerman, true neighborhood heroes. On Saturday, October 24, a woman walking in the neighborhood with her daughter and dog had a serious medical emergency and fell face first to the road breaking her glasses and perhaps her nose. Henry saw a commotion through a window and quickly brought Dori, who is trained in CPR, to the scene. With no signs of life, Dori began CPR.

The daughter was unable to help because she was dealing with their dog that was upset by the incident. The dog eventually bit Dori, who continued with CPR and asked the daughter to move the dog away. Mark Panthofer came out to assist. Dr. Zimmerman saw the commotion and came over to help revive the woman. Upon the arrival of the ambulance, Dr. Zimmerman continued to assist the Emergency Medical Technicians.

I cannot think of a more heroic act by our residents. Without a moment of thinking of themselves, Dori, Henry, Mark and Dr. Zimmerman demonstrated care, compassion and action. Without their help, the woman may not have survived. Thank you so much. Dori, Henry and Mark and Dr. Zimmerman are heroes among us and make North Bay an amazing place to live. We are all blessed by these heroes.

CRIME PREVENTION BEGINS WITH YOU!

- **'Tis the season for porch pirates!** Please secure packages delivered to your home as soon as possible. If you are anticipating a delivery but are unable to be present at the time it arrives, please ask your neighbor or friend to secure it.
- **Wind Point Police Department | *In the event of an emergency, please dial 911.*** The Wind Point Police patrols Village streets from 6 pm – 3 am. During WPPD off hours, the Racine County Sheriff will respond.

For non-emergency matters or to file a report or request assistance for matters such as items noted below, please contact the WPPD at 262-639-3022.

- If you see anything suspicious.
- For permission to park an overnight guest's vehicle on the street.
- To file a travel alert.
- Assistance in Village Ordinance enforcement.

NEW ORDINANCE | On November 6th, 2020, Ordinance 2020-2 Section 2.10 of the Code of Ordinances for the Village of North Bay, Racine County, Wisconsin relating to Ethical Standards was approved by the Board of Trustees on Monday, October 26th, 2020 became effective. [Click here](https://vnbwi.files.wordpress.com/2020/11/chapter-2-section-2.10-ethical-standards-11.6.20-website.pdf) to view the electronic document. The URL is: <https://vnbwi.files.wordpress.com/2020/11/chapter-2-section-2.10-ethical-standards-11.6.20-website.pdf> .

PUBLIC WORKS | *By Paul Schroeder*

YARD WASTE PICKUP ENDS NOVEMBER 30TH | The final 2020 yard waste pick up is Monday, November 30th. Johns Disposal recently reported to the Village that some residents are tearing stickers in half and using one sticker for 2 bags. ***Please DO NOT tear stickers in half. Please affix ONE FULL STICKER per bag or bundle.*** If you have questions, please contact Trustee Schroeder at vnpublicworks@northbay-wi.us or Johns Disposal at (262) 473-4700.

LEAF PICK UP ENDS SOON | Leaf pick up ends either November 30th OR with the last measurable snowfall, whichever comes first. Once this occurs, please do not place leaves in the street.

VILLAGE HALL | *By Dori Panthofer*

BOARD OF TRUSTEES MEETINGS | As of this publication, two Village Board of Trustees meetings are scheduled. As announced in the September 2020 Newsletter, the November 10th meeting was moved up to October 26th to comply with Wisconsin State Statutory requirements pertaining to the Village Budget and the December 14th meeting was moved up to November 30th, 2020, for the same reason. Please note: Meetings are subject to change with proper notice. With proper notice, Stand up Meetings may be scheduled to address time sensitive Village matters. Proper notice includes the following: 24 Hour Advance Notice on the Village Hall bulletin board and the Village website under [News and Announcement](https://northbay-wi.us/news-announcements/) (URL <https://northbay-wi.us/news-announcements/>) and [Village Calendar](https://northbay-wi.us/calendar/)(URL <https://northbay-wi.us/calendar/>).

Meetings are held at Village Hall. Meetings are open to the public. Those wishing to present Public Comment are asked to [click here](#) to review Public Comment Guidelines. The URL: <https://vnbwi.files.wordpress.com/2020/07/public-comment-guidelines.pdf>

Board of Trustees Upcoming Meeting Dates

Monday, November 30th, 2020	Board Meeting - 2021 Final Budget
January 11th, 2021	Village Caucus & Board Meeting

VILLAGE BOARD CONTACT INFO:

[Click here](#) or [visit: https://northbay-wi.us/contacts/](https://northbay-wi.us/contacts/)

Happy Thanksgiving!

