



Upcoming Events

- 1st Monday of Month — Plan Commission  
6:30 p.m.
- 2nd & 4th Tuesday of Month — Village Board  
7:00 p.m.
- November 23 & 24 — Village Hall Will be Closed for Thanksgiving

Please visit the Village Meetings Calendar located under the Government tab at [prairiedusac.net](http://prairiedusac.net) for Village meetings and agendas.



Town & Country Sanitation Inc. November 23rd Garbage and Recycling will be delayed one day to Friday, November 24th due to the holiday.

**REMINDERS**

On the day of collection, toters need to be placed out by 6:00 a.m. Do not set out more than 24-hours before day of collection.

The toters need to be at least three (3) feet from any fixed object such as mailboxes, trees, streetlights, buildings or parked vehicles, and with a 2 to 3 foot gap between toters. Visit [prairiedusac.net/garbage-recycling](http://prairiedusac.net/garbage-recycling) for more information.

The Village of Prairie du Sac requires sidewalks (including crosswalk entrances) to be cleared of snow and ice within 12 hours after the snow or ice ceases to accumulate by the adjacent property owner/occupant. If ice has formed on any sidewalk so that it cannot be immediately removed, the sidewalk shall be kept sprinkled with salt, sawdust, or sand. If sidewalks are not maintained as required, the Village is authorized to clear it and the cost of doing so will be charged against the property. If not paid, it will be assessed to the property's tax bill. In addition to abatement costs, violators are subject to fines. A separate offense shall be deemed committed during each day during which a violation occurs or continues. Please report un-cleared sidewalks to the Sauk Prairie Police Department by calling 608-643-2427.



The Village of Prairie du Sac requires that all vehicles be off the streets once there is a snow accumulation of 2 inches of snow, to allow for snow plowing. This parking restriction remains in effect for 48 hours after the snow has stopped or until the streets are cleared. During this restriction, parking is available in the following municipal lots: Water Street, Third Street, Washington Street, and Galena Street Public Lots.

The Village of Prairie du Sac also prohibits the blowing, pushing or otherwise depositing of snow or ice upon any streets or alleyways. This includes pushing and/or piling snow across the street from your property.

Per Village ordinance, it is the owner/occupant responsibility to keep mailboxes free and clear of snow. If your house number is on your mailbox, you must keep it clear of snow so that the number is plainly visible.



Residents/Property Owners are encouraged to adopt a fire hydrant by keeping it clear of snow and ice so that it is easily accessible in an emergency.

During winter months, refuse items including garbage and recycling left for collection shall not be placed on top of snow banks, nor shall they be placed in the street or alleyways. Instead, residents and businesses are encouraged to either shovel out an area behind the curb to place the items or place them in your driveway immediately behind the curb line. Placing items on the snow banks has the potential to cause injury to collection employees. Placing the items within the street or alleyways can hinder snow plowing operations, cause damage to equipment and/or property, or injuries.



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**Village Hall Construction Update**

A new entry vestibule will be constructed to control the loss of heat between the outside and the interior of the building. Currently, there is only one door separating the inside from the outside when one enters the building. The new vestibule will consist of two doors to provide separation.

**Due to this part of the project, access to the Village Hall will be limited at various times during the project.**

**Village Hall transactions are encouraged to be conducted online ([www.prairiedusac.net](http://www.prairiedusac.net)), by e-mail ([pdsutilities@prairiedusac.net](mailto:pdsutilities@prairiedusac.net)), by telephone (608-643-2421), by mail (335 Galena Street, Prairie du Sac, WI 53578), or by use of the drop box (located near the main entrance).**



During the months of November 2023 through January 2024, it is anticipated meetings of the Village Board and the Plan Commission may be relocated to the Sauk Prairie Police Department. Please be sure to check meeting agendas for locations. Agendas can be found at <https://www.prairiedusac.net/village-meetings-calendar>. Thank you for your understanding and patience as we make these needed improvements.

**Tree Trimming/Removal**

The Village of Prairie du Sac cares about trees and the beautiful landscape that surrounds our community. For new public and private development, the Village has established landscaping requirements and other regulations intended to preserve and maintain vegetation within in a manner that promotes the natural resource protection, aesthetic, and public health goals. There are times when trees must be trimmed or removed due to traffic visibility issues, conflicts with utilities, street reconstruction, health of the trees, or disease prevention such as in the case of Emerald Ash Borer.



When the Village determines a tree located within the street right-of-way or terrace (normally between the street and the sidewalk) must be removed, the process involves removing the tree, grinding the stump, and restoring the landscape where the tree was. The process can take several weeks or even months depending on the number of trees removed and the time of

year. The Village usually prefers to grind all the stumps over a few days. Trees are usually removed in the fall and winter. One reason this time of year is chosen, is to prevent the spread of diseases such as Oak Wilt. One drawback of this preventive measure is soil for lawn restoration can be wet or frozen delaying the restoration process to possibly the spring or summer. If there are no conflicts, such as traffic safety, utilities, or insufficient room, the Village will plant a new tree to replace the one that was removed.