

City of Bayfield

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City of Bayfield Residents / Property Owners

There will be a public hearing to receive input on the City of Bayfield's Draft Comprehensive Plan (2019-2029) on December 10, 2018 at 4:30 p.m. at the Bayfield City Hall, located at 125 South First Street, Bayfield, WI. A regular Council Meeting will follow where possible adoption of Ordinance #396, an ordinance to adopt the 2018 Comprehensive Plan of the City of Bayfield may occur.

A draft copy of the 2019-2029 City of Bayfield Comprehensive Plan and related Ordinance are now on file for review at the Bayfield City Hall and at the Bayfield Carnegie Library. The draft plan and ordinance will also be posted on the City of Bayfield's website; www.cityofbayfield.com. We encourage you to review the documents prior to the public hearing. For more information about the proposed ordinance please contact the City Clerk at 715-779-5712.

Billie L. Hoopman, Clerk

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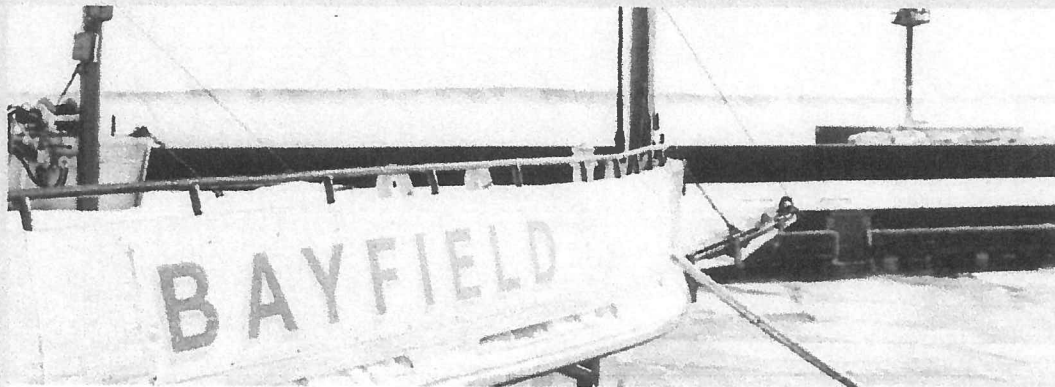
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COMPREHENSIVE PLAN UPDATE

It's time for Bayfield to update its Comprehensive Plan. For more information, please visit the "CITY INFO" tab above.

You will find copies of the City's 2002-2022 Comprehensive Plan, and various related planning guides, policies, and statements. Additionally, a new page has been created.

We will do our best to keep you informed on the progress of our work and about any public participation opportunities.



CITY COMPREHENSIVE PLAN UPDATE COMMUNITY CONVERSATION

SATURDAY APRIL 21ST

9AM -- 3PM

BAYFIELD PAVILION



Nan Fey shared a post.

Yesterday at 8:02am · 🌐 ▼

Stop in anytime today!



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Springwater/Utility Bill

Notices

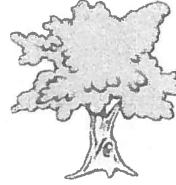
BRB Recycling Center Hours:

Year round on Saturdays 8 am-4 pm;

April through October on Wednesdays 2 pm-6 pm;

2018 Comprehensive Plan Update: There will be a Community Gathering at the Pavilion from **9am-3pm on Saturday April 21st**. Everyone is invited to share what they love most about Bayfield, ideas for change, and hopes for the next twenty years. Please stop by for coffee and conversation.

The City of Bayfield Tree Board is accepting tree requests for planting in the spring of 2018. Please submit your requests to City Hall by **May 1, 2018**.



Attention Bayfield Customers:

Yard meters will be available June 1st, 2018 on a first come first serve basis for a non-refundable deposit of \$50

April 27, 2018: City of Bayfield Arbor Day Celebration

May 7-11, 2018: Lawn & Garden Cleanup Week

May 11, 2018: City of Bayfield International Migratory Bird Day

May 12, 2018: Annual Dumpster Day 7am- 2 pm

May 28 2018: City Hall and Library closed in Observance of Memorial Day

Notices

- Spring Primary is **February 20th** from 7am-8pm at City Hall.

- The City of Bayfield Volunteer Fire Department would like your help! If there is a **fire hydrant** in front of your residence, and you're able, would you please shovel it out. This would help the BFD out in their efforts!
Thank you!



- **Save the Date!** The City of Bayfield Cleanup week will start May 7th, and dumpster day will be May 12th.

- **2018 Comprehensive Plan Update:** Currently the Plan Commission is receiving feedback from City Committees on draft Goals and Vision Statement. We will do our best to keep you informed on the progress of our work and about any future public participation opportunities. You can find more info. on the City's website (www.cityofbayfield.com). Please go to the "City Info" tab and find the "**2018 Comprehensive Plan Update**" page.

Dear Bayfield Taxpayer:

Enclosed is a copy of your 2017 Tax Bill. Please be advised of the following payment schedule:

- If you desire to pay in full, you must make your payment to the Bayfield City Hall by January 31, 2018.
- If you elect to pay by installment, the first payment is due at the Bayfield City Hall by January 31, 2018. The second installment will then be payable to Bayfield County Treasurer on/or before July 31, 2018.
- For more information regarding your property taxes and tax credits for individuals visit the Wisconsin Department of Revenue's website: www.revenue.wi.gov/propertytax/index.html.

NOTE: If you pay by mail and a receipt is requested, YOU must provide a self-addressed stamped envelope with your payment.

- In 2016 we informed you about the City of Bayfield's Waterfront Walk "Turning Point" Project. We are happy to report this project is set to be re-bid in January 2018. Assuming bids are within budget, we are hoping construction will begin as soon as the weather permits in 2018. Most of the work will be done on South First Street and Wilson Avenue. The "High Rise" restrooms will be replaced with a donated fountain from Mary Rice, new restrooms will be built across the street at the East Dock Park, and pavement and pedestrian walk improvements will be made.
- The Plan Commission continues work on the City of Bayfield's Comprehensive Plan Update. For more information, please visit: <http://www.cityofbayfield.com/comprehensive-plan-update.html>. Please be aware, in 2018, they will be soliciting for your thoughts and ideas on the draft Comprehensive Plan Update.
- The City of Bayfield Winter Parking and Snow Removal Ordinances are now in effect. Because of safety issues, the City Police will be enforcing these Ordinances.
- Dog licenses must be renewed at the first of the year at City Hall. State Stats. require you to show proof of your dog's rabies vaccination, so please include a copy with your payment. The current fees are \$7.00 for spayed/neutered and \$14.00 not spayed/neutered. Also, note there is a 6-ft. leash law. For more information, please contact City Hall at 715-779-5712.
- For more information about the City of Bayfield please visit: www.cityofbayfield.com.

From the City Council, all of the City employees and myself –

BEST WISHES-MAY YOUR HOLIDAY SEASON BE PLEASANT!! Gordon T. Ringberg, Mayor

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COMPREHENSIVE PLAN UPDATE - PROGRESS REPORT

September 21, 2017

Dear City of Bayfield Property Owner,

It's time for Bayfield to update its Comprehensive Plan, and to celebrate all that we've accomplished in the past fifteen years. This brief "progress report" will describe what's being done to evaluate where we are now, and explore where we want to go based on community input in the next phases of this process.

The 2001 plan was extremely comprehensive to comply with Wisconsin's Smart Growth Law; it's over 150 pages long, with lots of background information in the required "element" areas, goals and objectives, and nearly 250 "action items" assigned to various "responsible entities". In the last six months, all of this information has been discussed and analyzed by the city's elected officials and appointed members of committees. The Plan Commission has held several half-day special work sessions, and every city board and committee and Council member has reviewed the action items it was assigned as well as the maps relevant to its work. Their conclusion: Bayfield is on the right track, but we still have work to do.

Since 2001, the goals, objectives and values expressed in the Comprehensive Plan have been implemented through the Outdoor Recreation and the 120-Acre Plans, Waterfront and Downtown Plans, The Natural Step framework and a Sustainability Plan, and the many ordinances that have been revised to permit the kind of development we want to see in our community. These have also been reviewed in recent months, so the updated plan can build on these efforts, add new areas of focus like health and the impacts of climate change, and incorporate tools for measuring our progress in the years to come.

So how do we chart our course for the future? We're working on a public participation plan to answer your questions, address any concerns you may have and hear your ideas – our goal is to learn about your vision for Bayfield 20 years from now. City boards, committees and the Common Council will also be reviewing drafts before finalizing and adopting them next year. There will be plenty of opportunities for community participation in this process.

We look forward to your input in the months to come, and your feedback on our efforts to refine an updated set of goals and objectives for the City of Bayfield.

Sincerely,

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