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Winter2015/2016 Newsletter

### ***Change in Supervisors***

We would like to thank Corey Paulson for his service to the township. He has resigned as Supervisor because he has moved out of the township.

Welcome Darren Flygare who has been appointed as Supervisor to serve until the next general election. Tom Vanek will replace him on the Planning & Zoning Committee.

### ***127<sup>th</sup> St Project***

The 127<sup>th</sup> St/Armitage Ave rebuild is almost complete and costs are coming under the proposed budget. The ditch seeding and repair will be completed in the spring. The Supervisor Board thanks everyone for their patience during the road construction and apologize for any inconvenience it may have caused.

### ***Recycle***

The 2016 recycle schedule has been enclosed. If you need information on how you can get started, please call the township office.

### ***Twp Website***

Please check out our website @ [www.silvercreektwp.com](http://www.silvercreektwp.com) for contact information, township meetings, road maintenance, recycling and more

### ***Burning Permits***

You can get a three day permit which allows burning of piled, vegetative material, between the hours of 6pm and 8:00 am the next morning, at the township office or other local fire wardens. You can obtain an online permit that is good for the rest of the calendar year, for a fee of \$5.00 at the MN DNR website [www.dnr.state.mn.us/burningpermits](http://www.dnr.state.mn.us/burningpermits)

### ***Board of Supervisors***

Mike Ludenia Chairman-320-963-5724  
Sandy Forsman Vice Chair -763-878-2307  
Chris Klein 763-607-3422  
Dan Ness – 320-260-1624  
Darren Flygare- 320-980-2861

### ***P&Z Meeting***

First Tuesday of Month 7:00pm

### ***Supervisor Meetings***

First Tuesday of Month following the P & Z Meeting.

Third Tuesday of Month 7:00pm

### ***Office Hours***

Monday & Thursday 8:00am – 12:00  
Tuesday 2:00 – 6:00pm

### ***Town Hall Rental***

Looking for a place to have a family reunion, graduation, small wedding, or just a get together?  
Reservations are available for the rental of the Town Hall meeting room and kitchen. Rental fees are \$100 for township residents, \$150 for non-residents. There is also a \$100 damage deposit required (which will be returned if the hall is cleaned and there are no damages). The building is an alcohol and smoke-free facility. To rent the Town Hall, contact the Clerk's Office at 763-878-0141

## Snow Plowing ~

Winter finally showed up with the season's first significant snow. The Maintenance department headed out with the grader and 2 trucks, plowing the wet heavy snow, starting at 2:00 am Tuesday morning. The main roads were all open by 6:00 am, with all roads cleared of snow by 10:00 am that morning. The maintenance team will try to get all roads open before commuting traffic hits. Opening roads wouldn't mean completely cleared, but passable. If snow continues, more plowing rounds are necessary to completely clear all snow and ice. The addition of the new Mack plow truck really helped in clearing the roads in a timely manner.

## A reminder to all ~

Please do not plow snow onto the Township roads or within the Twp right of way (ROW). Snow piles pushed across the road freeze and can cause, damage to the Twp.'s snow plow equipment and risk of an accident to the traveling public, which you, as the home owner, would be liable for.

Please do not place your garbage can on the road surface – the garbage companies have mechanical arms on their trucks that can reach into your driveway and retrieve the can. Please remove the can as promptly as possible, as cans in the right of way (ROW) are a risk to the traveling public.

The parking ordinance is in effect until spring. No on street parking or parking / storage of any vehicles, or other items in the ROW.

This winter, the maintenance dept. will be working on removing brush and trees out of the ROW. Any trees or brush within 33ft from the center of the road, will be cleared. There are a number of areas where branches lean over the road and hit the tops of trucks and maintenance equipment. This is a liability and could cause damage to vehicles or equipment. You will be notified before any large tree removal. Look for maintenance personnel to be working in those areas.









