

LONGFELLOW NEIGHBORHOOD



WELCOME TO OUR NEIGHBORHOOD!
May, 2018

Our next meeting is **Monday, 7, 2018**
Wausau Police Department Community Room, 6:30 PM

Agenda

Christian Schock, Director of Planning, Community and Economic Development, will speak to the group.

Dates to Remember

- May 7: **Longfellow Neighborhood Meeting**
- May 13: **Happy Mothers Day**
- May 22: Spring water main flushing schedule (Kickbusch Street south to Town Line Road)
- May 24: Historical Society vintage board game night; 410 McIndoe Street; 7:00 – 10:00 PM
- May 26: Memorial Day Parade; Marathon Park to VFW; 10:45 AM
- May 28: **Happy Memorial Day**

Minutes from the April 2, 2018 Meeting

1. Romey Wagner and Michael Martens discussed their qualifications and goals for our alderperson position:
 - Michael is a small business owner (he previously was the leader of a small non-profit organization). He graduated from UW-Madison with a Communications Degree and has lived in Wausau since 1978. Michael is married with 2 children. He supports smart growth and will put people first by continuing to contact constituents in person.
 - Romey stressed his enthusiasm and ambition to serve. He is proud to have served on the Health and Safety Committee. He feels it is important for City Council members to ask “difficult” questions and to stand up for those who often aren’t heard. He strongly believes in a City Administrator and would like to change the make-up of City committees to include Council members (2) and outside members (2-3) who have “expertise” in the area the Committee meets on.
2. Romey shared that Compass Properties would invest in a theatre building and then lease it to a theatre organization if Compass receives certain concessions from the City.
3. Officer Meyer discussed the Briefing Sheet and answered questions from the group.
 - He highlighted the CRO (Community Resource Officers) Unit.
 - The “RaidsOnline.com” website is updated regularly (perhaps as often as hourly).
 - Sector B (the Downtown area) is the busiest Sector in the City.
 - A snow emergency has been declared from 1:00 AM Tuesday until 4:00 PM Wednesday; you can receive a \$100 ticket for violating the snow emergency.
4. An attendee asked about registered sex offenders living in a neighborhood. Notification of neighbors depends on the offense, the Parole/Probation Officer and/or a judge’s ruling. If you have questions, you can contact the Probation/Parole Office at 715-261-1600.

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From My Desk to Yours . . . Anne Heidemann, President, Longfellow Neighborhood

First, congrats to Mike Martens on becoming our new alderperson and to Romey Wagner for his new position on the Marathon County Board for our District. The speaker for our May meeting will be Christian Schock, Director of Planning, Community and Economic Development. I expect him to give us an overview of how they operate--I’m sure he will be happy to entertain questions. See you there!

Michael Martens, District 2 Alderman

Thank you for electing me as your new alderperson, I appreciate your support and will work hard to be a visible and engaged face for your local government. I want to thank Romey Wagner for his service and dedication over the last eight years. His passion for public service is a good model to ascribe to, and I know that I will have some big shoes to fill.

Romey Wagner (Former District 2 Alderman)

I hope you feel I served you well and I enjoyed getting to know everyone. I will miss the meetings and will probably drop in once in a while. My special thanks to Anne, Joy and the Police Department for all they do for us.

Neighborhood/Community Businesses

Affordable Auto	830 Plumer Street	715-574-0753
Bull Falls Brewery	901 East Thomas	715-842-2337
Cveykus Law Office	301 Grand Avenue	715-842-5205
Forward Electronics	115 Prospect Avenue	715-845-4355
JAS Construction	josh@jasbuilds.com	715-432-5732
John Jokela Law Firm	207 Grand Avenue	715-845-9000
M & S, The Siding Specialists	818 Henrietta Street	715-842-7965
Meverden Chiropractic	215 Grand Avenue	715-848-4088
Olson Tire and Auto	601 Forest Street	715-845-8473
River Valley State Bank	101 Grand Avenue	715-845-0900
Schmidt & Schmidt	123 Grand Avenue	715-845-9621
Subway	601 Forest Street	715-848-1930
The Nathan House	921 Grand Avenue	715-845-4922
The Hair Designers	607 Prospect Avenue	715-845-2666
Townline Market	916 Townline Road	715-842-5201

NEED TO KNOW NUMBERS

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JOY FOYE 715-842-9197

POLICE DEPARTMENT:

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NEIGHBORHOOD LIAISON:

OFFICER JACOB CHITTUM 715-261-7973

NEIGHBORHOOD BRIEFING SHEET (COMMUNITY RESOURCE OFFICERS):

OFFICER NATE STETZER (Nathaniel.Stetzer@ci.wausau.wi.us) 715-261-7970

ANIMAL CONTROL OFFICER:

ASHLEE BISHOP 715-261-7842

COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT:

TAMMY STRATZ 715-261-6682

INSPECTIONS DEPARTMENT:

BILL HEBERT and TRAVIS LEPINSKI 715-261-6780

ENGINEERING DEPARTMENT:

uncut grass/unshoveled sidewalks 715-261-6740

STREET CONSTRUCTION & MAINTENANCE:

missed by snow plows 715-261-6960

FIRE MARSHALS OFFICE:

DAVE DESANTIS 715-261-7904

JEREMY KOPP 715-261-7906

