

City of Kasson Newsletter • November, 2014

Tree City USA

CITY HALL HOURS: Monday – Friday 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.

NOTICE

The City of Kasson Electric Department would like to remind citizens they should NOT plant any decorative trees or shrubs or place other objects in front of, or on the sides of electrical equipment within a radius of 6 feet. This includes pole bases, green transformers or pedestals. Every piece of equipment, with the exception of poles, has a large sticker that states this policy. It is for the safety of the public as well as line personnel as energized wires can be shallow near these objects and personnel need safe and clear access to the equipment for testing and repair procedures. If you do plant in the above mentioned areas, your plants WILL be removed when access to the equipment is needed and they will not be replaced. As always, the electrical staff would like to remind everyone that a call to Gopher State One Call is necessary for locates before ANY digging begins. Please feel free to call the electric department directly at 507-634-6330 with any questions regarding your service, trees in the lines or any other equipment concerns you may have.

Thank you.

JOIN US ON FACEBOOK!

<http://www.facebook.com/KassonMN>

Kasson City Council Meeting Changes:

The second meetings in November and December need to be rescheduled due to holidays. The November 26th meeting has been rescheduled to Tuesday, November 25th at 6:00 PM. The December 24th meeting has been rescheduled for Wednesday, December 17th at 6:00 PM. Please contact City Hall at 634-6324 with further questions.

JOIN US FOR A RIBBON CUTTING CEREMONY FOR KASSON'S NEW SKATE PARK!

LOCATED IN THE RECENTLY EXPANDED LIONS PARK
ON WEST VETERAN'S MEMORIAL HIGHWAY
NOVEMBER 6TH AT 4:00 PM

LIBRARY NEWS

Prominent Minnesota author Swati Avasthi will speak at the Kasson Public Library on Thursday, November 13th at 6:00 PM. She is the author of the critically-acclaimed young adult book called *Chasing Shadows* which was hailed by *Publishers Weekly* as a "...superb novel."

After the author's presentation, an informal question-and-answer time will follow.

*Refreshments will be served.
Please join us at the free and exciting event which is part of the SELCO Fall 2014 Author Tour.*

REMEMBER TO VOTE NOVEMBER 4TH!

LEGAL NOTICE TO VOTERS

Notice is Hereby given: That a City-State General Election in the City of Kasson, County of Dodge, State of Minnesota, will be held on Tuesday, November 4, 2014 between 7:00 AM and 8:00 PM

Precinct 1 (North/Green) – all addresses on the North side of 16th St and where it would cross Mantorville Avenue to the West.

Precinct 2 (Central/Yellow) – all addresses between the South side of 16th St and the North side of Main Street W and the North side of E Veterans Memorial Hwy.

Precinct 3 (South/Blue) – all addresses on the South side of Main Street W and the South side of E Veterans Memorial Hwy.

The designated polling place for all three Kasson City Precincts is the Kasson-Mantorville High School, North Gym on the West side, 101 16th St. NE, Kasson, MN.

Call Linda Rappe, City Clerk, at 634-6324 with questions.

Thanksgiving





**DOWNTOWN
CHRISTMAS IN
KASSON**

**Saturday, December 6th
10:00 AM – 1:00 PM**

**Supporting the Kasson
Chamber of Commerce
allows businesses to offer
a number of community
events!**

SNOW EMERGENCIES: No vehicle or trailer shall be parked on any street or alley during a declared snow emergency. A snow emergency is defined as any time the quantity of snow warrants the deployment of snow plows. During snow emergencies, no parking shall be allowed on the road or alley until the snow and ice plowing has been completed the full width of the roadway. Citations shall be issued to vehicle owners parked in the path of a snowplow on the first pass. Any vehicle violating this article will be towed without notice to the property owner, at the owner's expense.

SNOW REMOVAL FROM SIDEWALKS: No owner or occupant of a property adjacent to a public sidewalk shall allow snow or ice to remain on the sidewalk longer than 24 hours after snow has ceased to fall. After that time, the City may remove the snow or ice and bill the responsible party for costs incurred.

PILING OF SNOW: Persons shall not push or deposit snow or ice into a street or alley from private property or public boulevards. Do not pile snow at street corners or at the ends of public drives so it interferes with the view of the traveling public. Property owners will be charged removal costs if such piles must be removed by City staff or other agent of the City.

Thank You!

KM CARE & SHARE AUCTION

**Thursday, November 20th at Events by Saker
Dinner at 5:00 PM**

Live Auction begins at 6:00 PM

**Please donate products, services, merchandise,
gift certificates or cash. Please let us know
NOW if you plan to help as the need is great.
Items can be dropped off at McKern Financial
in the Kasson Mini Mall
13 West Main St**

Or

**Kasson Liquor Store
30 West Main St**

**Contact Lisa at (507) 251-6917 with questions
or email valuems@charter.net**

WINE TASTING at EVENTS

November 6th from 6:30-8:30 PM

**TO BENEFIT THE DODGE COUNTY
HISTORICAL SOCIETY**

\$20 IN ADVANCE OR \$25 AT THE DOOR

**(Advance tickets may be purchased at Events,
Kasson Liquor Store or Mantorville Saloon.)**

PLEASE HELP US KEEP YOU DRY!

**Dried leaves, grass clippings and other debris
blocks the grates and prevents storm water from
entering the storm water system. City personnel
will get to them eventually but you can help
yourself by keeping them clear. Please do not
push grass clippings or rake leaves into the street.
We ask that you please help clean out the storm
sewer grates on your block. *Thank You!***

HOME ENERGY AUDITS

**...Another way to reduce energy and save
dollars.**

**The City of Kasson Public Utilities,
partnering with Minnesota Energy
Resources can help!**

**You pay only \$50.00 which is applied to your
Minnesota Energy Resources billing. The
City and Minnesota Energy Resources will
cover the rest of the cost.**

Sign up now by calling 1-800-376-0517.

LIBRARY HOURS

MONDAY

10:00AM TO 7:00PM

TUESDAY

10:00AM TO 6:00PM

WEDNESDAY

10:00AM TO 7:00PM

THURSDAY

10:00AM TO 6:00PM

FRIDAY

10:00AM TO 5:00PM

SATURDAY

10:00 AM TO 1:00 PM

**CITY OF KASSON
EMERGENCY
NUMBERS**

Emergency 911

**Non-Emergency
Police**

634-3881

**Water/Sewer
634-7302**

**(Nights and
weekends)**

Electric

259-6661