

City of Mayer

Fall 2011



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Snowplowing Parking Restrictions

PARKING DURING SNOW REMOVALS:

During the months of November to April of each year commencing and ending on the first day of November and April, no motor vehicle shall be parked on either side of any street or alley within the city limits following a snowfall of one inch or more, or to otherwise interfere with snow removal operations following the accumulation of one inch of snow or more, until the completion of snow removal operations after which time parking can again be resumed upon these streets which have been cleaned of snow.

No person shall park a vehicle or permit it to stand whether attended or unattended, upon any street or highway within the city within 25 feet from the intersection of the curb lines or if none, within 15 feet of the intersection of the property lines at any intersection of streets or highways.

Mark Your Lawn Before it's Gone

Snow season is coming. Please mark the curb line in front of your property with brightly painted laths, driveway markers (or similar objects) so the snowplow does not blade into your yard



MEETING NOTICE

*The City of Mayer
will be holding it's
final budget and levy
meeting on Monday,
December 12, 2011 at
6:30 PM.
Mayer City Hall
413 Bluejay Avenue.*

125th Commemorative Memorabilia for Sale

There are still items for sale commemorating the Mayer 125th Celebration. They will make great Holiday gifts.

Books:

100 yrs 1986-1986—\$20

Last 25 yrs 1986-2011—\$10

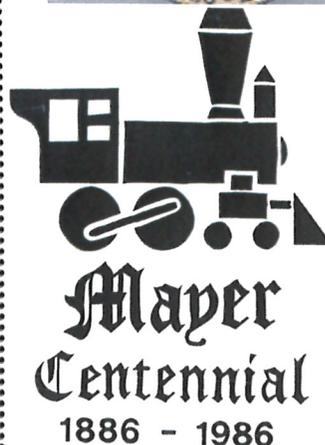
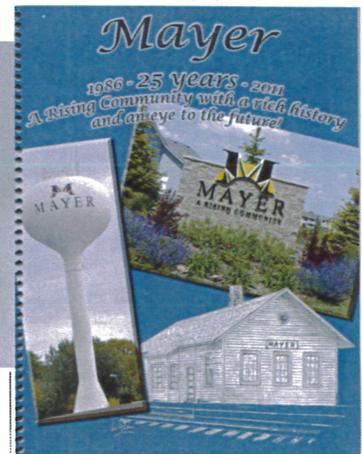
125 year Commemorative Mugs—\$10

Signed Depot Prints \$10

125 year Commemorative Key Chains
\$6.00

Commemorative Postmarked Post
Cards

Come to the City Hall to purchase
items.





Bits and Pieces

Help Keep the City Clean

The city would like to remind you. When you walk your dog, it is your responsibility to leash your dog, and respect other's property. Also, you must clean up their feces. This ordinance applies to the city and Dakota Rail trails as well.

Park Board Commissioner

The Mayer Park Board is looking for a person to fill a position on the Park Board. The Park Board meets on the second Tuesday of the month at 6:30 PM. If you have the time and would like to assist the City in planning of the Mayer Parks please apply. The application can be found on the City's website or at city hall.

MAYER FIRE DEPT FALL FISH FRY SUNDAY, OCTOBER 30th

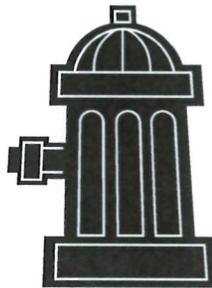
The Mayer Fire Department will hold their Fall Fish Fry on Sunday October 30th at the Mayer Community Center from 10:30 AM to 1:30 PM.

Take Out Available

Tickets can be purchased at the door. Adults \$9.00 Children 6-12 are \$5.00. (Hot dogs available for kids.)

In addition to the all you can eat meal, Zion Lutheran's LWML will be selling pie to satisfy your sweet tooth and the Mayer Fire Auxiliary will be holding a Bake Sale to assist the Fire Department by raising funds for special projects.

Because of Halloween, the Mayer Fire Auxiliary will also be handing out "Safety Bags" to children ages 10 and under attending the Fish Fry. Please come and support your local Fire Department!



COMPOST SITE

Compost site hours as of September 1 are Mondays 5 to 7 PM Wednesdays from 5 to 7 PM and Saturdays from 9:00 AM until noon until further notice. Compost site will close early to mid November depending on the leaf drop.

Skating Rink

Thinking ahead - Mayer Public works staff will flood an area in West Ridge Park to be used for ice skating. There is not a warming house so dress warm and enjoy the ice.



Direct Pay for Utility Bills

This is a reminder that the City of Mayer has Direct Payment option for payment of utility bills. Direct Payment is a safe, convenient, and confidential way to pay your utility bill. It gives you the peace of mind that your bills are being paid on time, eliminating additional late fees on your account. Sign up for Direct Payment form is on the Cities web site.



PROPERTY TAXES

If you want to find out how the City arrives at your local property tax levy, come to the City's Truth in Taxation Hearing meeting on Monday, December 12, 2011 at 6:30 p.m. The location is the Mayer City Hall 413 Bluejay Avenue, Mayer, MN.



New Internet Service Provider

Cologne-ISP.net is scheduled to begin wireless internet service in Mayer and New Germany in October. High speed internet pricing will begin at \$19.95/month and will also provide service to the Townships of Watertown, Camden and Waconia. Equipment and installation is free with a 12 month contract.

Customers may pre-register at [www/cologne-isp.net](http://www.cologne-isp.net) or call 952-466-2184 for additional questions. Once service becomes available you will be contacted for a scheduled installation.



**City Office will
be Closed**
Friday, November 11,
2011 for Veterans Day
and
Thursday & Friday,
November 24& 25 2011
for Thanksgiving

Be Safe Lock your doors

Carver County Sheriff's Office is asking for your cooperation. In order to reduce the number of thefts from vehicles and homes the Sheriff's Office is

requesting that you lock your doors. Report any and all suspicious activity immediately by calling 911.

Park Board Survey Your Opinion Matters!

The Mayer Park Board is requesting your input on the Parks. There is a short survey at the following link:

*[http://
www.surveymonkey.
com/s/XJRQTZK](http://www.surveymonkey.com/s/XJRQTZK)*

Or you can find the link on the City of Mayer's website at the top of the sidebar. Please fill out the survey to assist the Park Board in planning for future parks in the City.

NATIONAL TAKE BACK INITIATIVE PRESCRIPTION DRUGS Carver County residents

- When:** Saturday, October 29, 2011
10:00 AM to 2:00 PM.
- Where:**
 - Chanhassen Senior Center at 7700 Market Boulevard (City Hall Lower Level)
 - Waconia City Hall at 201 South Vine Street
 - Carver County Sheriff's Office at 606 East 4th Street in Chaska
- What:** Medicines and drugs will be placed in an evidence box, with no questions asked. A separate sharps box will be available for syringes as well. The boxes will be sealed, weighed and transported for destruction.

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Mayer Moves for Moxie



What is A New Weigh?

During this 12-week weight loss challenge, you will learn to incorporate healthy habits related to physical activity, nutrition and life balance. The goal is to make these healthy habits a part of your lifestyle in order to lose weight or maintain a healthy weight. This program will help give you the support you need to reach your goals!

Premier Program Includes:

- Speakers
- Educational book with tracker
- Weekly tip sheets
- Individuals or Teams
- Prizes!

Program dates

January 5 - March 29, 2012

Thursdays, 6:30 PM

Look for registration details coming soon!

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Mayer Moves for Moxie

The City of Mayer's Park and Recreation Board would like to invite you to "Move for Moxie" This is a 13 week Premier program for residents of our city and surrounding communities, businesses and their employees, individuals and teams.

The Park Board has teamed with Ridgeview Medical Center, SNAP Fitness, W-M Community Ed, and Carver County Public Health to merge the "New Weigh" program with our own Master Plan to help our residents "Move for Moxie"

The challenge is open to groups of any size, or individuals. This program is designed for all stages of physical fitness. The rewards will be many! Money, motivation, muscle mass, movement mastery, mind over matter, and more. Each week you will join us for an informative session on how to succeed at Moving for your Moxie. We will have motivational speakers, physical trainers, nutritionist, demonstrations, and other professionals all designed to Move you to get your Moxie on.

The Mayer City Council's team, "The Light Levies," is ready to maximize muscle and minimize mass. They have already received a challenge from the City of Mayer Employees. You are encouraged to challenge them with your own group, or challenge your neighbors, other businesses, or just come as an individual who wants to Move for your Moxie!

The Moxie Movement will meet on Thursdays for one hour, starting January 5- March 29, 2012 at 6:30 PM. The final session will be an awards ceremony on April 5. The sessions will take place at the Mayer Community Center, at 413 Bluejay Avenue. You can preregister to ensure a spot in the program, or just come to the first session on January 5th. Each person will be charged a 25.00 fee for the program. More entries, means more rewards for each participant.

Stay tuned to the city newsletter, city web page or facebook and the community education brochure for more information. Or contact city hall at (952) 657- 1502 for more information or to register.

Make this your new mantra and get ready to "MOVE FOR MOXIE"!!!

Fight Water Pollution in the streets near your home!

Community Clean ups for Water Quality are local projects that can significantly reduce phosphorus flowing into our local lakes, rivers and streams, by removing leaves and yard debris from city streets and boulevards.

What: Rake, sweep or shovel leaves, dirt and organic debris that is in, around or close to curbs and streets. Bag it and then take them to your city or county compost site. For every bag of organic debris you collect and keep out of storm drains, you are **preventing 100 lbs of algae** from forming in our waters.

Why: Phosphorus is a major source of water pollution. Impervious surface, such as driveways, city streets and parking lots provide a pathway for phosphorus to get into local lakes, rivers and streams. Phosphorus on streets comes from decaying organic matter such as leaves, braches and loose dirt. Water monitoring tells us that there are two peak periods for the introduction of phosphorus from city streets into local waters – spring and fall. So October and November are perfect times to clean up your streets and help prevent algae blooms!



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CITY OF MAYER MISSION STATEMENT
Building on our heritage, planning for the future, and enhancing the quality of life for its resident. The mission of the City of Mayer is to welcome new residents and businesses, provide the resource, opportunity, and environment necessary for growth, manage the City in a responsible manner and maintain a friendly, small town atmosphere.

