

# 2020 City of Weyauwega

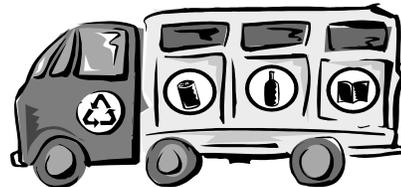
## NUISANCE/JUNK ORDINANCE

Weyauwega residents with the spring time upon us, the Weyauwega Police Department reminds you to do an inspection of your yard, property or properties. The City Administrator in conjunction with the Weyauwega Police Department encourages City Residents to comply with the ordinances that help to keep our great community looking orderly and respectful. The City of Weyauwega discourages against the collection of junk and unsightly materials within the community. Weyauwega City Ordinance 283-8 prohibits unhealthy, hazardous or unsightly materials on public or private property. City Ordinance 454-26 prohibits inoperable, wrecked or discarded vehicles. City Ordinance 378-1 explains parameters of outside storage on private property. All of these ordinances are accessible online at <http://ecode360.com/WE2856> or available at City Hall for your review of the definition. Should you have any question with regards to the interpretation of the ordinance or if your property complies, appointments can be made and an officer will assist you with your

inspection(s). The City Administrator along with the Weyauwega Police Department continually evaluate properties for compliance throughout the year. Identified compliance violations will be contacted and handled on a case by case basis. Fines for non-compliance can range from \$100.00 – \$500.00.

Large items can be taken to the Waupaca County Processing & Transfer Facility, E4981 Swan Road in Manawa, 715-258-6249 for a small fee. You can also contact Advance Disposal at 920-685-6666 and they can arrange for a special pick-up of your large items for a small fee.

The City Administrator and Weyauwega Police Department encourages your partnership in helping keep Weyauwega a clean, safe place to live!



## CITY FIREWORKS

FRIDAY, JULY 3rd

WAUPACA COUNTY FAIRGROUNDS

Fireworks will start at approximately 9:30 pm.

Due to COVID-19 Pandemic we will be required to follow all local, county, state and federal orders and guidelines pertaining to mass gatherings.

Please stay tuned for updated or changes on this event.

## DOG & CAT LICENSING

2020 Dog and Cat Licenses are available at City Hall, 109 E. Main Street. Animal licenses expire each year on December 31st and must be renewed by April 1st to avoid a late fee.

- Spayed Female and Neutered Male \$3.00
- Unspayed Female and Unneutered Male \$8.00

**Deadline:** A late fee of \$5.00 will be charged if the owner of a dog 5 (five) months of age or over fails to obtain a license prior to April 1st of each year or within 30 days of acquiring ownership of a licensable animal.

Proof of rabies vaccine is required before a license will be issued.

*Dog & Cat License Ordinance  
(Municipal Code Sec.190)*

## GRASS CLIPPINGS

All grass clippings from lawn mowing or other sources shall not be allowed to blow upon or accumulate in any public street in the City of Weyauwega where such grass clippings could wash into any storm sewer drainage inlet and cause back-up issues.

Please do not mow grass into the roadway in front of your residence, per City of Weyauwega Code of Ordinances 419-23. This will be monitored and enforced by the City Administrator and/or Weyauwega Police Department.

Stay informed by following the City of Weyauwega website at

**[www.cityofweyauwega-wi.gov](http://www.cityofweyauwega-wi.gov)**

Or on Facebook at City of Weyauwega.  
We welcome any suggestions or comments.



## MEDICATION DROP-BOX LOCATION

Weyauwega City Hall • 109 E. Main Street • Lobby Hours from 8 am to 4:30 pm (Mon-Fri)

### WHAT TO DROP

- Expired/Unwanted Prescription Meds
- Over-the-Counter Medications
- Medication Samples
- Pet Medications
- Liquid Medications
- Medicated Ointments and Creams
- Inhalers
- Vitamin Supplements

### WHAT NOT TO DROP

- Needles/Lancets/Syringes
- Thermometers
- IV Bags
- Nebulizer Machines
- Diabetes Test Kits
- Oxygen Tanks
- Personal Care Products (shampoo, lotion, etc.)

**NEW GUIDELINES:** Empty pills into a plastic sealable bag. Keep liquids, creams, powders in original containers. Place liquid medication bottles in a plastic bag. Recycle empty pill bottles and paper boxes at home.

If you have any questions, contact the Waupaca County Solid Waste Department at 715-258-6240.

## KEEP YOUR GRASS CUT

The Common Council finds that lawns, grasses, and noxious weeds on non-agricultural lots or parcels of land, as classified under the City Zoning Code, within the City of Weyauwega **which exceed eight (8) inches in length** adversely affect the public health and safety of the public in that they tend to emit pollen and other discomforting bits of plants, constitute a fire hazard, and a safety hazard in that debris can be hidden in the grass, interferes with the public convenience, and adversely affects property values of other land within the City.

For that reason, any non-agricultural lawn, grass, or weed on a lot or other parcel of land **which exceeds eight (8) inches in length** is hereby declared to be a public nuisance.

The City of Weyauwega may issue written notice to require the cutting of grasses/weeds exceeding eight (8) inches in length. In the event that the issue is not resolved within the timeline identified in writing, the City reserves the right to authorize/contract for the grasses or weeds to be cut, with applicable costs and expenses to be billed to the property owner.

*Regulation of Length of Lawn and Grasses  
(Municipal Code Sec. 283-6)*

# STATE OF THE CITY – CITY ADMINISTRATOR, JEREMY SCHROEDER



As I provide this update we are certainly experiencing unprecedented times and many new routines due to the COVID-19 pandemic. All of us have been and continue to be impacted in some fashion due to the continual changes in events, activities, work and business schedules, schooling for our community children and many other routine items we have grown use to because of the pandemic. However, our resilience as a community to support each other and stick together during challenging times helps us all to navigate forward and know that this too shall pass.

There are many, many changes to events and activities that we normally look forward to and enjoy as part of our community. Please understand that all of the groups and organizations involved in the planning and implementation of the events and activities take the decision making process very seriously when it comes changes, postponements or cancellations. The number one concern is to keep everyone safe. Everyone's continued patience, understanding and support is greatly appreciated as we all navigate through the "new normal" going forward. Even with modifications, changes, etc. there are still many great opportunities for our community to enjoy the lake through fishing, strolling in a canoe or kayak, walking the trail in the park, enjoying a sunset or taking a walk within the community. We all have to be creative in our activities and enjoyment and make the best of everything.

Even with the pandemic situation the city is continuing with several projects to better the community. Beginning in July Birdsall Street between Pine and Merrimac Streets will be fully reconstructed. This project will take several months before completion but will provide for a much safer and user friendly street. The Public Works staff continues to beautify the park with removal of unsafe or deteriorating trees, planting of new trees, maintenance and improvements to shelters and playground areas. Due to a very generous donation there is a new handicap accessible pier on the lake for the enjoyment of fishing by all ages or an opportunity to enjoy the beautiful tranquility that nature has to offer. We encourage you to do your part by keeping your residence, rental property or business attractive and free of clutter, any hazards and nuisances as defined by our code of ordinances which can be found on our website or at city hall.

I am here to serve you the citizens in the City of Weyauwega and gladly welcome any opportunity to meet with you, talk with you about the great things happening, concerns you might have or any ideas to better our community. Teamwork and positive collaboration are the backbone to any success for all of us and our great city.

Enjoy your summer



## Reminders to Property Owners with Pets – Please Respect your Neighbors



**Chapter 190-6 of the Code of Ordinances** for the City of Weyauwega states:

1. No person having in his/her possession or ownership any dog or other domestic animal shall allow the animal to run at large within the City. The owner of animal, whether licensed or unlicensed, shall keep his/her animal tied or enclosed in a proper enclosure so as not to allow said animal to interfere with the passing public or neighbors. Any animal running at large unlicensed and required by state law or City ordinance to be licensed shall be seized and impounded by a humane or law enforcement officer or animal warden.

**Chapter 190-10 of the Code of Ordinances** for the City of Weyauwega states:

1. **Removal of Fecal Matter.** The owner or person in charge of any dog, cat, horse, or other animal shall not permit

solid fecal matter of such animal to deposit on any street, sidewalk, alley or other public or private property, unless such matter is immediately removed therefrom by said owner or person in charge. This Section shall not apply to a person who is visually or physically handicapped.

2. **Accumulation of Fecal Matter Prohibited on Private Yards.** The owner or person in charge of the dog or cat must also prevent accumulation of animal waste on his/her own property by regularly patrolling and properly disposing of the fecal matter.

The nice weather brings out citizens as well as their pets. Please respect everyone in the community by making sure you clean up after your pets. Keep the outdoors enjoyable for everyone!

# 2020 Summer Library Program Imagine Your Story!

@ WEYAUWEGA PUBLIC LIBRARY • 301 S. Mill Street, Weyauwega  
920-867-3742

**The 2020 Summer Library Program begins on  
Mon, June 15 and ends on Sat, Aug 15.  
Track your reading online this year!  
More details to come.**



**Anyone up to age 18 may sign up.  
DON'T MISS OUT ON THE FUN!**

## \*VIRTUAL PERFORMANCES (watch for dates):

### DAVID STOKES (live reptiles & amphibians)

Animals of our imagination & Dreams with Turtle Island, the Frog Prince, Kartusch the Blind Snake. Stories, songs, puppets, artifacts, riddles, sign-language and more! Live animals, up close! All ages.

### CORCORAN PUPPETS (2 puppet shows)

See “Nana Bandana & Cossette” perform two puppet shows. In each performance, they will share a popular story and sing a few songs. Fun for all ages.

### RANDY PETERSON (musician)

Imagine your story! Musical versions of some well-known fairytales. Singing and dancing, a fun, entertaining show with lots of music, as you have come to expect from Randy.

### \*\*POSSIBLE IN-PERSON PERFORMANCE AUGUST 5 @ 11am:

### LYNN MARCKS (storyteller/musician)

This program will include stories, songs, rhythm & rhyme. Lynn’s focus is always the building of positive character traits & values and building a better community. For all ages.

## LIBRARY HOURS BY APPOINTMENT ONLY

Mon – Fri 10:00-4:00pm  
Sat 10:00-12:00pm

We will be introducing a new way to track your reading this year. No more activity sheets! You can sign up your family all at one time. Log & track each child’s reading online using your device or computer. Log 6 hours of reading and earn a coupon for Wega Drive In! Finish 12 hours of reading and earn a free paperback book of your choice! Watch for more information.

# SWIM LAKE UPDATE FOR SUMMER 2020

The City of Weyauwega continues to work diligently to open the swim lake. With the challenges of the pandemic due to order and recommendations, the opening is slightly delayed and could change at any time. We plan to begin filling the lake on Monday, June 15th. Unfortunately due to the pandemic there will not be any swim lessons offered due to practicing social distancing and limiting contact. The swim lake plans to open on Thursday, June 18th. Lifeguards are being hired and trained, cleaning and sanitizing protocols are being established following recommendations and logistics are being finalized. While the swim lake will be open due to CDC recommendations we cannot provide seating areas and have to enforce social distancing along with any mass gathering cap orders we are required to follow. We encourage you to bring your own seating to use. We appreciate your patience, understanding and cooperation through the “new normal” we are all experiencing. The city council felt strongly about opening verses remaining closed so we all need to adhere to the recommendations and procedures to remain open.

## INTRODUCING WAY FORWARD WEGA!

WayForwardWega.com is a new website that is independently run by a Weyauwega resident that posts information from community organizations such as events, fundraisers, and other important notices. Any event that will be of interest to the residents will be put on a community calendar so that there is one place to quickly see what events are going on around town. **Please visit them at [www.wayforwardwega.com](http://www.wayforwardwega.com) or visit them on facebook by searching @WayForwardWega.** If you have suggestions, ideas, or just want to help out please email them at [wayforwardwega@gmail.com](mailto:wayforwardwega@gmail.com).

## WEGA ARTS UPDATE



We had to cancel several events this spring, including the popular Last of the Big Bands. We are waiting to see what the situation is in the fall, and will keep everyone posted.

SCRIPT TO SCREEN (S2S) is happening: this is a workshop for high school kids on writing a script. We were able to convert it to digital, and are now at the stage of looking at the ‘pitches’ that have been submitted. We will be working with Liz Kruger, who has written for Bull, Salvation, and Charmed. Liz is an old friend of Ian Teal’s. They worked on skit comedy, with the other members a performing group called Afterwords, for many years. The final step of the workshop will be the production of a fifteen minute film.

Renovations are going forward at the Gerold. We can’t entertain you inside, but we can work on the building! Ian is tuck pointing the bricks, and Justin Cheek of Weyauwega will be putting a new roof on. We are also getting a snow guard and new gutters on the east side of the building.

We look forward to the future, and are working on new shows.

The attached picture is by Devin Ducoeur.

# 2020 Calendar of Events

SUMMER SUNDAYS TO LABOR DAY	Little Red Schoolhouse Historical Museum open to the public from 1:00 p.m. to 4:00 p.m. Located in Weyauwega Community Park
July 3	Independence Day Fireworks at the Waupaca County Fairgrounds with music
August 8	Weyauwega Annual Blacktop Tractor Pull on Main St.
August 26-30	Waupaca County Fair at Waupaca County Fairgrounds
September 26	Deadman's Carnival at the Gerold
November 11-14	Weyauwega International Film Festival at the Gerold
TBD	Christmas parade and tree lighting
February 2021	Fire On Ice Snowmobile Races at Waupaca County Fairgrounds

**Due to the COVID-19 Pandemic all local, county, state and federal orders and guidelines pertaining to mass gatherings will have to be followed. Events and dates can change throughout the upcoming months. Please follow the websites below for information on upcoming events.**

**FOR MORE INFORMATION ON EVENTS IN THE CITY GO TO:**

- [www.cityofweyauwega-wi.gov](http://www.cityofweyauwega-wi.gov)
- [www.weyauwegachamber.com](http://www.weyauwegachamber.com)
- [www.waupacacountyparks.com](http://www.waupacacountyparks.com)
- [www.waupacacountyfair.org](http://www.waupacacountyfair.org)
- [www.wegaarts.org](http://www.wegaarts.org)

## Community and Meeting Room Available for Public and Private Use

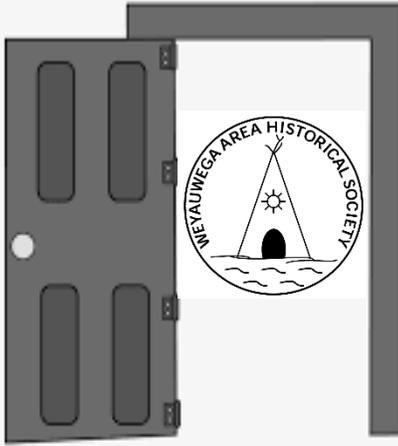
Many community groups have already been holding meetings in the Municipal Building/Community Room. There is no charge for use of these facilities for regular public meetings. The Community Room is also available to be rented for private events at a rate of \$20 per hour or \$80 per day, plus a refundable security deposit. If your community group is seeking a meeting space, or you would like to hold your private event at the community Room, please contact City Hall at 867-2630 for availability.

## Park Shelter Rental

The City of Weyauwega offers rental opportunities of six shelters at the Weyauwega Community Park at 411 W. High Street. The newest shelter with the attached bathrooms is \$55 a day to rent and the other five shelters are \$45 for the day. All of the shelters have electricity to them. If interested in renting a shelter this summer, contact City Hall at 867-2630 for availability.

## Census 2020

Please remember to complete your 2020 Census questionnaire if you have not done so already. The data is used in so many areas from distribution of federal funds, grants and support to states, counties and communities to reapportionment of the House of Representatives and redrawing boundaries of the congressional and state legislative districts in the state. Currently the City of Weyauwega has a response rate of 67.7%. You can respond online at [2020Census.gov](http://2020Census.gov); by phone 1-844-330-2020; or mail back paper questionnaire. Completing the census is mandatory. It's a way to participate in our democracy and say "I COUNT!"



***The door is beginning to open for Weyauwega Area Historical Society. Please read on .....***

As days and months passed by us all, the international pandemic put us all in a tailspin! Stay home, stay away from others, wash your hands, etc. Many things that were on the calendar have had to be postponed or canceled altogether - W.A.H.S. included. During this time in history, we will remain strong and ask Weyauwega residents to do so as well.

Everyone has a personal story to tell. Even though you may not think you're a writer, your story can be recorded for an historical lifetime. We'd love to hear from you! During this "stay at home" time you may wish to share such things as: How many are in your family; when did everything become "real" for you/other family members; how has it affected your job/business; what have you missed the most; what positive things have come from it? Please forward to an address listed below.

- As we know, many things change over time. If you have "Weyauwega roots" that go back a ways, we'd love to interview you. Save those important memories for your family and community. A project is underway, to do just this. A W.A.H.S. member will videotape an informal conversation with you, edit the tape, and share these important times at a program in the future. If you have questions or interest, please contact 715-602-2383.
- City Hall is open during regular business hours. You are invited to visit the displays that are changed every couple of months. The newest display celebrates the 100<sup>th</sup> anniversary of the nineteenth amendment, giving women the right to vote. We think you will find this ground-floor display interesting and educational. Taking the elevator, you will find three more displays upstairs.
- Yay! The Weyauwega City Park is open! That means the W.A.H.S. will also be opening the Little Red Schoolhouse Museum. Sunday, June 14, from 1 – 4 p.m. will be the first opportunity you will have to enjoy seeing school history made many years ago. The plan is to be open every Sunday until September. Or call, 715-281-6310 for a special time. CDC rules will be followed. However, you come at your own risk.
- You won't want to miss the opportunity to be among the first to have a brick on the "Walk Through History", "Building a Legacy – One Brick At a Time". Plans are to begin a walkway later this summer. For just \$50 you can sponsor a 4 x 8 brick or \$100 for an 8 x 8. Create a memorial in your name, a loved one, group, etc. Complete information (and other W.A.H.S. information) is available on weyauwegaareahistoricalsociety facebook, pick up a form at City Hall, or call Mary Jane at 920-538-2025.
- Your interest is always appreciated! To become a member, donate artifacts from the Weyauwega area or make a monetary donation to this 501(c)3 organization, call or write W.A.H.S., P. O. Box 294, Weyauwega, WI 54983.



# 2020 Garbage and Recycling Schedule

# How To Protect Yourself from the Costs to Remedy Sewer Back-Ups in Your Home

2020 CITY OF WEYAUWEGA

X = HOLIDAY

□ = TRASH ONLY

○ = TRASH AND RECYCLING / BULKY ITEMS

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\*PLEASE HAVE TRASH AND RECYCLING CONTAINERS CURBSIDE BY 6:00AM  
BULKY ITEMS NEED TO BE PRE-SCHEDULED WITH PAYMENT

The City has determined that there may be certain areas within the City of Weyauwega that are prone or more susceptible to sanitary sewer backups. In some cases there may be problems with the City's infrastructure, and in other cases, there are things that cannot be prevented from the City's perspective.

When such a sewer backup does occur that is not of the negligence of the City of Weyauwega, the City's insurance carrier does not cover the cost associated with restoration, rehabilitation and clean-up of such incidents, accidents or occurrences. The costs to clean and restore your property after a sewer backup situation are usually placed on the homeowner, when the City is determined not to be negligible by law. With that, it behooves City residents to have one, or both, of the following protections in place:

1. Acquisition and possession of homeowners insurance that includes coverage for sanitary sewer backup situations.
2. A backflow preventer, which prevents sanitary sewer material from back-flowing out of the main lines and into your home.

These are two ways in which citizens may be able to limit their liability and provide funds for cleanup and restoration, should such a situation develop. The City hereby urges you to check into both of these options as it relates to providing assurances that you have protected your home and property.

The City of Weyauwega strives to minimize these situations from occurring and conducts routine regular maintenance of our lines and sanitary sewer infrastructure. However, there are times when excessively heavy precipitation or infrastructure obstructions occur that cause such backups.

If you have any questions on this matter, please feel free to contact City Hall at (920) 867-2630.

We hope that you find this information useful and that it provides you with the information necessary to make the right decisions for your property and possessions.

When a potential sewer backup situation is occurring at your home, it is absolutely important that your first call is to the City of Weyauwega Public Works Department, and not a private plumber or contractor. The City may be able to remedy the situation independently, where a private contractor may charge you for their services.





## Curbside Garbage Service

- Pickup once per week in provided 95-gallon wheeled cart.
- Garbage must be placed curbside the night before, or prior to 6:00 a.m. on the scheduled day of collection.
- Items NOT accepted for pickup include: electronics, appliances, auto batteries and yard waste.
- All items must be placed in the cart in order to be collected.



## Curbside Recycling Service

- Pickup is EVERY OTHER WEEK in provided 95-gallon wheeled cart.
- Recyclables must be placed curbside the night before, or prior to 6:00 a.m. on the scheduled day of collection.

Place all recyclables in the provided cart – no sorting necessary.

### Accepted Materials:

- Plastic food, beverage, detergent bottles and jugs labeled #1 – #7
- Pill bottles
- Water bottles
- Glass bottles (green, brown and clear)
- Glass jars (green, brown and clear)
- Metal cans
- Aluminum cans
- Newspapers and inserts
- Magazines
- Catalogs
- Telephone books
- Brown paper bags
- Corrugated cardboard (flattened out and cut in pieces 2' by 2' or smaller)
- Office paper
- Copy paper
- Shredded paper in paper bag
- File folders
- File or packing boxes
- Junk mail
- Cereal boxes
- Brown or gray fiber packages (soda cartons, dry food packages, etc.)



## Do not place the following in the Recycling Cart:

- Plastic grocery bags
- Styrofoam
- Electronics
- Ceramics or dishes
- Food waste
- Motor oil containers
- Hazardous waste containers
- Light bulbs



## Bulk Waste Service

- Please contact Advanced Disposal to schedule a pickup at (920) 685-6666.
- Bulk waste must be placed curbside the night before, or prior to 6:00 a.m. on the scheduled day of collection.
- Items NOT accepted for pickup include: construction and demolition debris, tires, appliances or electronics.



## Cart Placement

- Carts should be placed no more than three (3) feet from the curb.
- There needs to be at least three (3) feet between your cart and any other objects such as parked cars, light poles, mailboxes and other carts.
- Be sure to place garbage and recycling carts on opposite sides of the driveway.
- Cart handle should be facing the house and away from the street.



Advanced Disposal



# BULKY ITEM RATES

COUCH - \$25

RECLINING COUCH - \$50

MATTRESS / BOX SPRINGS - \$15/Each

DRESSER - \$15/Each

SITTING CHAIR - \$15

RECLINING CHAIR - \$25

\*NO WHITE GOODS SUCH AS REFRIGERATORS, DISHWASHERS, AIR CONDITIONING, FREEZERS, OR HUMIDIFIER WILL BE COLLECTED.

\*NO ELECTRONICS SUCH AS MICROWAVES, TELEVISIONS, DVD PLAYERS, COMPUTERS, GAMING SYSTEMS, CPU'S OR MONITORS WILL BE COLLECTED.

\*ANY OTHER ITEM PRICING OR TO SCHEDULE A PICK UP PLEASE CONTACT ADVANCED DISPOSAL 1-920-685-0771.

PICK UP WILL COINCIDE WITH RECYCLING DAY.

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## **FIRE DEPARTMENT LOOKING FOR VOLUNTEERS**

The Weyauwega Area Fire District is actively looking for new volunteers to assist with responsibilities at the fire department if you are looking for a rewarding place to volunteer and give back to your community please contact Fire Chief Tom Cullen. There are many roles in the fire department not all are interior attack firefighters, we require many tasks from computer and IT work, vehicle and station maintenance, record keeping and Quick-books entry and drone operators. Please leave a message for Chief Cullen on the fire station answering machine and he will contact you 920-867-2119. Thank you.

# 2019 Consumer Confidence Report Data

## WEYAUWEGA WATERWORKS, PWS ID: 46904033

### WATER SYSTEM INFORMATION

If you would like to know more about the information contained in this report, please contact Mike Lee at (920) 707-4020.

### OPPORTUNITY FOR INPUT ON DECISIONS AFFECTING YOUR WATER QUALITY

Public Works Committee Meetings are held at City Hall on the 2nd Tuesday of the Month at 7:00 pm during summer months and 6:30 pm the rest of the year.

### HEALTH INFORMATION

Drinking water, including bottled water, may reasonably be expected to contain at least small amounts of some contaminants. The presence of contaminants does not necessarily indicate that water poses a health risk. More information about contaminants and potential health effects can be obtained by calling the Environmental Protection Agency's safe drinking water hotline (800-426-4791).

Some people may be more vulnerable to contaminants in drinking water than the general population. Immuno-compromised persons such as persons with cancer undergoing chemo therapy, persons who have undergone organ transplants, people with HIV/AIDS or other immune systems disorders, some elderly, and infants can be particularly at risk from infections. These people should seek advice about drinking water from their health care providers. EPA/CDC guidelines on appropriate means to lessen the risk of infection by cryptosporidium and other microbial contaminants are available from the Environmental Protection Agency's safe drinking water hotline (800-426-4791).

### SOURCE(S) OF WATER

Source ID	Source	Depth (in feet)	Status
1	Groundwater	86	Active
3	Groundwater	90	Active
4	Groundwater	172	Active

To obtain a summary of the source water assessment please contact, Michael Lee at (920) 707-4020.

### EDUCATIONAL INFORMATION

The sources of drinking water, both tap water and bottled water, include rivers, lakes, streams, ponds, reservoirs, springs and wells. As water travels over the surface of the land or through the ground, it dissolves naturally occurring minerals and, in some cases, radioactive material, and can pick up substances resulting from the presence of animals or from human activity.

Contaminants that may be present in source water include:

- Microbial contaminants, such as viruses and bacteria, which may come from sewage treatment plants, septic systems, agricultural livestock operations and wildlife.
- Inorganic contaminants, such as salts and metals, which can be naturally- occurring or result from urban stormwater runoff, industrial or domestic wastewater discharges, oil and gas production, mining or farming.
- Pesticides and herbicides, which may come from a variety of sources such as agriculture, urban stormwater runoff and residential uses.
- Organic chemical contaminants, including synthetic and volatile organic chemicals, which are by-products of industrial processes and petroleum production, and can also come from gas stations, urban stormwater runoff and septic systems.
- Radioactive contaminants, which can be naturally occurring or be the result of oil and gas production and mining activities.

In order to ensure that tap water is safe to drink, EPA prescribes regulations that limit the amount of certain contaminants in water provided by public water systems. FDA regulations establish limits for contaminants in bottled water, which shall provide the same protection for public health.

## DEFINITIONS

Term	Definition
AL	Action Level: The concentration of a contaminant which, if exceeded, triggers treatment or other requirements which a water system must follow.
Level 1 Assessment	A Level 1 assessment is a study of the water system to identify potential problems and determine, if possible, why total coliform bacteria have been found in our water system.
Level 2 Assessment	A Level 2 assessment is a very detailed study of the water system to identify potential problems and determine, if possible, why an E. coli MCL violation has occurred or why total coliform bacteria have been found in our water system, or both, on multiple occasions.
MCL	Maximum Contaminant Level: The highest level of a contaminant that is allowed in drinking water. MCLs are set as close to the MCLGs as feasible using the best available treatment technology.
MCLG	Maximum Contaminant Level Goal: The level of a contaminant in drinking water below which there is no known or expected risk to health. MCLGs allow for a margin of safety.
MFL	million fibers per liter
MRDL	Maximum residual disinfectant level: The highest level of a disinfectant allowed in drinking water. There is convincing evidence that addition of a disinfectant is necessary for control of microbial contaminants.
MRDLG	Maximum residual disinfectant level goal: The level of a drinking water disinfectant below which there is no known or expected risk to health. MRDLGs do not reflect the benefits of the use of disinfectants to control microbial contaminants.
mrem/year	millirems per year (a measure of radiation absorbed by the body)
NTU	Nephelometric Turbidity Units
pCi/l	picocuries per liter (a measure of radioactivity)
ppm	parts per million, or milligrams per liter (mg/l)
ppb	parts per billion, or micrograms per liter (ug/l)
ppt	parts per trillion, or nanograms per liter
ppq	parts per quadrillion, or picograms per liter
TCR	Total Coliform Rule
TT	Treatment Technique: A required process intended to reduce the level of a contaminant in drinking water.

## DETECTED CONTAMINANTS

Your water was tested for many contaminants last year. We are allowed to monitor for some contaminants less frequently than once a year. The following tables list only those contaminants which were detected in your water. If a contaminant was detected last year, it will appear in the following tables without a sample date. If the contaminant was not monitored last year, but was detected within the last 5 years, it will appear in the tables below along with the sample date.

## DISINFECTION BYPRODUCTS

Contaminant (units)	Site	MCL	MCLG	Level Found	Range	Sample Date (if prior to 2018)	Violation	Typical Source of Contaminant
HAA5 (ppb)	C	60	60	1	1		No	By-product of drinking water chlorination
TTHM (ppb)	C	80	0	6.6	6.6		No	By-product of drinking water chlorination

## INORGANIC CONTAMINANTS

Contaminant (units)	Site	MCL	MCLG	Level Found	Range	Sample Date (if prior to 2017)	Violation	Typical Source of Contaminant
BARIUM (ppm)		2	2	0.024	0.019 - 0.024	6/20/2017	No	Discharge of drilling wastes; Discharge from metal refineries; Erosion of natural deposits
CADMIUM (ppb)		5	5	0.5	0.0 - 0.5	8/15/2017	No	Corrosion of galvanized pipes; Erosion of natural deposits; Discharge from metal refineries; runoff from waste batteries and paints
FLUORIDE (ppm)		4	4	0.1	0.0 - 0.1	6/20/2017	No	Erosion of natural deposits; Water additive which promotes strong teeth; Discharge from fertilizer and aluminum factories
NITRATE (NO3-N) (ppm)		10	10	3.57	1.92 - 3.57		No	Runoff from fertilizer use; Leaching from septic tanks, sewage; Erosion of natural deposits
SODIUM (ppm)		n/a	n/a	14.30	6.14 - 14.30	6/20/2017	No	n/a

Contaminant (units)	Action Level	MCLG	90th Percentile Level Found	# of Results	Sample Date (if prior to 2017)	Violation	Typical Source of Contaminant
COPPER (ppm)	AL=1.3	1.3	0.4870	0 of 10 results were above the action level.	9/12/2017	No	Corrosion of household plumbing systems; Erosion of natural deposits; Leaching from wood preservatives
LEAD (ppb)	AL=15	0	2.50	0 of 10 results were above the action level.	9/12/2017	No	Corrosion of household plumbing systems; Erosion of natural deposits

### ADDITIONAL HEALTH INFORMATION

If present, elevated levels of lead can cause serious health problems, especially for pregnant women and young children. Lead in drinking water is primarily from materials and components associated with service lines and home plumbing. Weyauwega Waterworks is responsible for providing high quality drinking water, but cannot control the variety of materials used in plumbing components. When your water has been sitting for several hours, you can minimize the potential for lead exposure by flushing your tap for 30 seconds to 2 minutes before using water for drinking or cooking. If you are concerned about lead in your water, you may wish to have your water tested. Information on lead in drinking water, testing methods, and steps you can take to minimize exposure is available from the Safe Drinking Water Hotline or at [www.epa.gov/safewater/lead](http://www.epa.gov/safewater/lead).

**OTHER COMPLIANCE  
UNCORRECTED SIGNIFICANT DEFICIENCIES**

Deficiency Description and Progress to Date	Date System Notified	Scheduled Correction Date
S2. The roof and sidewalls of all structures shall be watertight with no openings except properly constructed vents, manholes, overflows, risers, drains, pump mountings, control ports, or piping for inflow and outflow, per s. NR 811.64(10) (a), Wis. Adm. Code. The City's elevated storage tank at Mill St. has unsealed gaps where the sidewall meets the roof.	12/4/2019	10/31/2021
S1. The overflow pipe of a water storage structure shall discharge with a downward opening, per s. NR 811.64(4)(a)1, Wis. Adm. Code. The overflow pipes of the City's ground storage reservoir at Elizabeth St. and elevated storage tanks at Mill St. and Slough Rd. discharge with a horizontal opening. It should also be noted that the overflow pipe of the elevated storage tank at Mill St. is not constructed of an approved material (see Non-Significant Deficiency 1).	12/4/2019	10/31/2021

**ACTIONS TAKEN**

S1. Regarding the discharge pipes at Well House #1 on Elizabeth Street, as well as Tower 2 located on Slough Rd. The City will use the correct materials in accordance with the Wisconsin Administrative Code to transform the pipes from a horizontal discharge to a vertical discharge.

S2. Regarding Tower 1 located on Mill Street, the water department will not take any action to correct the deficiencies due to the fact that the tower will be retired and destroyed.

**WATER CONSERVATION ORDINANCE REMINDER**

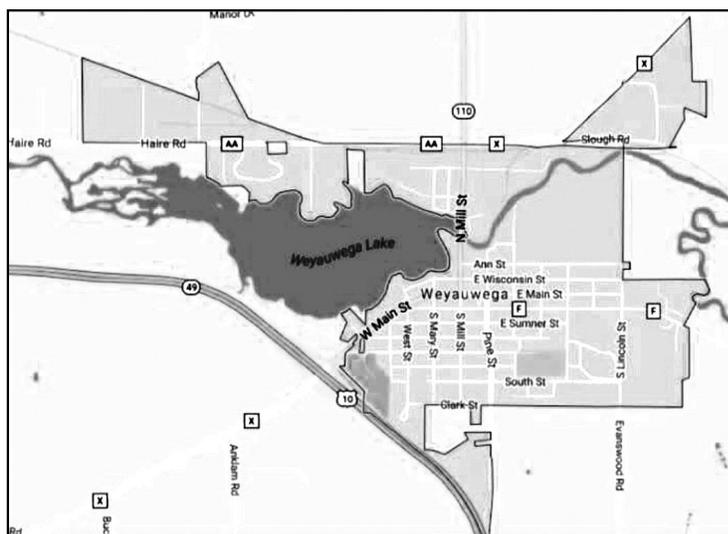
In an effort to protect the structural integrity of the City's water distribution system without significant and unnecessary added costs, and to promote responsible outdoor watering, the Common Council of the City of Weyauwega approved an ordinance to preserve, conserve and limit water use for lawns, grass, outside plants, trees, shrubs and similar plants.

This ordinance was approved by the City Council in 2013 and closely resembles water conservation ordinances adopted by the City of Waupaca, and other municipalities.

There shall be absolutely NO watering by unattended sprinkler systems between 11:00 a.m. and 6:00 p.m. Even-numbered addresses shall only be allowed to water before 11:00 a.m. and after 6:00 p.m. on even-numbered days. Odd-numbered addresses shall only be allowed to water before 11:00 a.m. and after 6:00 p.m. on odd-numbered days.

Use of handheld sprayers/hoses for watering is allowed at any time on any day. Newly seeded and newly sod lawns may be watered by sprinkler every day with a permit issued by the city but only before 11:00 a.m. and after 6:00 p.m.

Violations of this ordinance will be penalized. First offense will be issued a written warning. Second offense will be fined \$10 - \$25. Third and subsequent offenses will be fined \$25 - \$100.



For more specific information, or to discuss this ordinance, please contact City Hall at (920) 867-2630.

## HOME POOL SAFETY

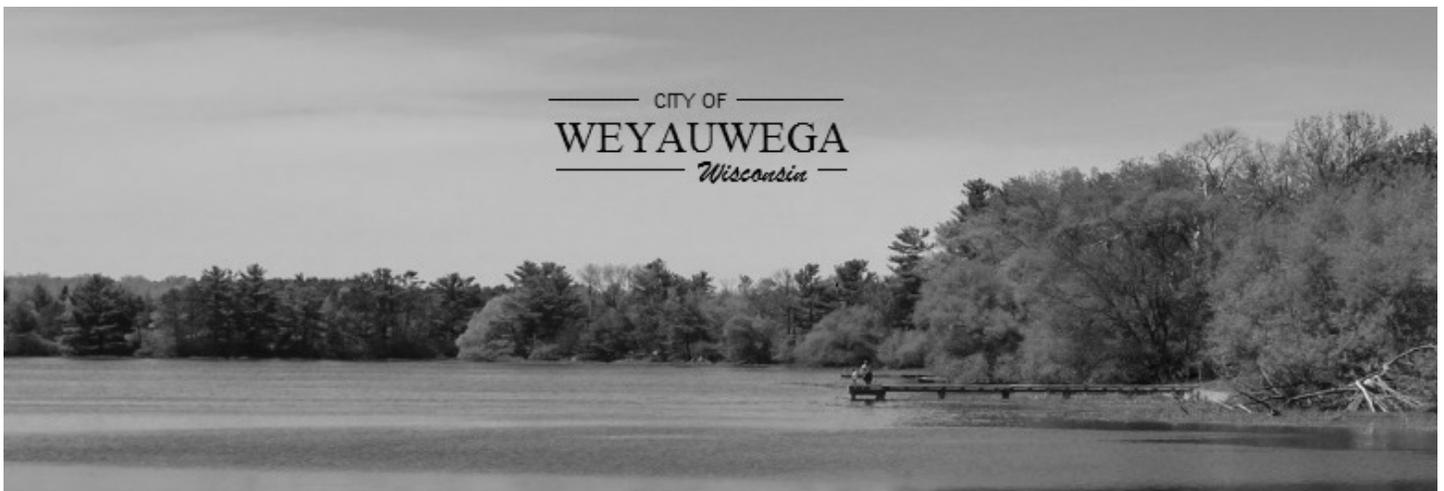
As the summer approaches, the City of Weyauwega would like to take the opportunity to remind residents that if you choose to put up any type of pool the liability lies with the property owner. It is important to cover the pool, remove ladders, and protect the area to prevent accidents. Certain pools do require a permit; therefore, please contact City Hall at (920) 867-2630 before installing or erecting any pools.

## HOUSE NUMBERS

The City of Weyauwega wants to remind all residents that to ensure public safety and well being it is essential to have house numbers visible for Police, EMS, Fire and all safety personnel. The City of Weyauwega code §419-16 requires the following: The numbers shall be conspicuously placed immediately above, on or at the side of the proper door of each building so that they can be plainly seen from the street. Whenever any building is more than 50 feet from the street line, the number of the building shall be conspicuously displayed at the street line, near the walk, driveway or common entrance to such building, and upon a gatepost, fence, tree, post or other appropriate place so as to be easily discernible from the sidewalk. The numbers shall be not less than 2½ inches in height, with dark lettering against a light background. Script numbers may not be used as the primary address numbers. Periodically the City Administrator and/or Police, Fire or EMS personnel will regularly check for compliance.

## STREET LIGHTS

If you notice a street light out in the City please contact City Hall at 867-2630 and notify us of the location of the light pole. If it is possible to get the pole number off of the pole that would be greatly appreciated as well. The City will then contact We Energies and relay the information to them for the repair.



*The City of Weyauwega will continue to embrace its great heritage and history while actively researching, attracting and implementing new opportunities and business for residents and guests to improve their quality of life through cost effective quality public services, great community events and recreational activities appropriate for all ages and cultures.*

*The City of Weyauwega strives to sustain a quality of life encompassed with its rich history.*

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