

Village of Raymond

Village Budget Hearing 7:30 PM

The Village of Raymond will hold their budget hearing on Monday, November 25, 2019, at 7:30 PM, at the Raymond Village Hall located at 2255 76th Street, Franksville, WI 53126. Look inside for the Village's 2020 proposed budget as well as the Storm Water Utility District Budget and Cemetery Budget. An itemized copy of the 2020 budget is available upon request at the Village Clerk's office.

Village Board

Village President	Gary Kastenson
Trustee #1	Tim Geszvain
Trustee #2	Paul Ryan
**Trustee #3	Dave Lecus
**Trustee #4	Doug Schwartz

**These positions are up for re-election in April of 2020.

Planning Commission

The Village of Raymond Planning Commission members consist of 7 Commissioners. We would like to thank Harold Strohmeier, Gary Boldt, Steve Daily, Art Binhack, Joe Strueder, Kevin Cantwell, and Scott Brenton for all their time and commitment on behalf of the Village of Raymond. Three terms will be expiring on May 1, 2020. The Village Board will be advertising the openings in early spring at three posting sites as well as the Village website.

Storm Water Utility District

The Village of Raymond Storm Water Utility district consists of 5 Commissioners. We would like to thank Scott Brenton, James Phillips, John Strueder, Brent Kultgen and Doug Schwartz, for their time and commitment on behalf of the Village of Raymond. There will be two terms that will be expiring in September, 2020. The openings will be advertised.

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Village Clerk: Linda M. Terry

Village Treasurer: Lee Marie Toll

Treasurer Office Hours: Thurs. 9:00a.m. to 12:30p.m.

Deputy Clerk: Janice Welch

Building Inspector: Lee Greivell (262)835-4819

Office Hours: 8:30a.m. to 10:00a.m. Tues. & Thurs.

Village Board: Meets the 4th Monday of each month at 7:30p.m.

Planning Commission: Meets the 4th Monday of each month at 6:30p.m.

Village Zoning Administrator: Tim Barbeau 262-317-3307

Storm Water Utility District: Meets the 3rd Monday of each month at 7:00p.m.

Municipal Court: Judge Joseph M. Purpero

Court Clerk—Jeni Schroepfer (262)835-1651

Court Convenes the first Thursday of each Month at 9:00 am

Assessor: Magnan Assessment Service (262)542-3332

Village Hall Office Hours: 9:00a.m. to 4:00p.m. Monday thru Friday

Phone: (262) 835-4426 **Fax:** (262)835-4449

Email: Clerk@raymondwi.com

Website: www.raymondwi.com

NOTICE OF PUBLIC BUDGET HEARING

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Village Board of Raymond will hold a Public Hearing on the proposed 2020 Budget of the Village of Raymond on Monday, November 25, 2019 at 7:30 PM, at the Raymond Village Hall, 2255 – 76th Street, Franksville, WI. The proposed budget in detail is available for inspection at the Village Clerk's Office, Monday through Friday, 9:00 am – 4:00 pm, or on the Village's Website: www.raymondwi.com

NOTICE IS FURTHER GIVEN that on Monday, November 25, 2019, immediately following completion of the Public Hearing on the Budget, the Village Board will have their regular monthly meeting. During that meeting, the Board will take action on the proposed 2020 Village of Raymond Village Budget; Storm Water Utility District Budget and Cemetery Budget.

Dated this 8th day of November, 2019.

Linda M. Terry
Village Clerk
Village of Raymond

	Actual thru Sept. 30, 2019	ESTIMATED Jan - Dec. 2019	Budgeted 2019	Proposed 2020	19 vs 20
REVENUES					
Taxes	1,066,724.30	1,066,724.30	1,060,602.00	1,076,822.00	2%
Taxes (all other)			730.00	100.00	-0.863013699
Total Charges for Services	210,808.91	286,208.91	173,190.00	191,590.00	0.1062417
Total Fines & Forfeitures	27,739.79	28,939.79	19,040.00	26,040.00	0.367647059
Total Intergovernmental Revenue	178,195.80	260,682.38	233,363.13	249,904.09	0.070880777
Investment Revenues	25,429.00	33,729.00	16,000.00	34,000.00	1.125
Debt/Loan Proceeds					
Total Licenses, Permits & Fees	148,945.05	174,235.05	200,450.00	206,450.00	0.029932652
Transfer from Reserve Accts.	-			-	
Miscellaneous Revenues (including sale of equipment)	9,415.21	10,565.21	7,250.00	7,800.00	0.075862069
TOTAL REVENUES	1,667,258.06	1,861,084.64	1,710,625.13	1,792,706.09	0.04798302
EXPENDITURES					
General Government	350,839.77	430,776.86	403,018.84	448,106.30	0.111874323
Public Safety	236,876.62	299,453.69	356,046.65	380,888.01	0.069769959
Public Works	416,561.41	729,710.68	734,275.00	774,767.50	6%
Health & Human Services	32,504.00	33,254.00	31,350.00	32,760.00	0.044976077
Culture, Recreation, Education	2,638.15	3,038.15	4,300.00	4,300.00	0
Conservation & Development	(1284.62)	715.38	3,445.00	3,445.00	0
Contingency			20,480.56	4,018.11	-0.803808587
Debt Service	118,786.57	118,786.57	118,786.57	118,786.57	0
TOTAL EXPENSES	1,158,206.52	1,615,735.33	1,671,702.62	1,767,071.49	0.057048945
NET CHANGE IN FUND BALANCE	509,051.54	245,349.31	38,922.51	25,634.60	

ALL GOVERNMENTAL AND PROPRIETARY FUNDS COMBINED	Fund Balance	Est. Total Revenues	Est. Total Expenses	Transfers	Est. Fund Bal. 31-Dec	Property Tax Contribution
General Fund	774,164.00	1,861,084.64	1,615,735.33	(\$25,000.00)	994,513.31	\$ 1,076,822.00
Assigned for Cemeteries	(4,024.00)	14,646.43	18,230.24	-	(7,607.81)	
Non spendable for Cemeteries	29,509.00	540.00			- 30,049.00	
Stormwater Utility-net position	764,748.00	118,119.30	111,638.26		771,229.04	
Reserved for Equipment/Other	121,978.00	8,195.00	43,000.00	25,000.00	112,173.00	
Total	1,686,375.00	2,002,585.37	1,788,603.83	-	1,900,356.54	\$ 1,076,822.00

**RAYMOND STORM WATER UTILITY
DISTRICT**

ESTIMATED

	2019 BUDGET	2019 FINAL	PROPOSED 2020
REVENUES			
Taxes	117,000.00	116,813.50	117,500.00
Intergovernmental Revenues	-	-	-
Licenses & Permits	-	-	-
Public Chares for Services	-	-	-
Misc. Revenue/Interest earned	500.00	1,305.80	500.00
Total - All Revenue	117,500.00	118,119.30	118,000.00

EXPENDITURES

Operating & Administrative	148,750.00	82,531.56	148,750.00
Debt Service	29,106.70	29,106.70	-
Reserve Fund	-	-	-
Total Expenditures & Reserve	177,856.70	111,638.26	148,750.00

RAYMOND CEMETERY FUND BUDGET

	2019 Budget	Estimated 2019	Proposed 2020
REVENUES			
Lot Sales	3,600.00	3,600.00	3,600.00
Tower Rent	10,647.36	10,647.36	10,860.00
Interest	349.92	399.07	400.00
TOTAL REVENUES	14,597.28	14,646.43	14,860.00
EXPENDITURES			
Cemetery Maintenance	15,819.96	17,350.00	17,400.00
Postage	5.00		
Supplies/Utilities	394.92	340.24	400.00
Reserve for Perpetual Care	360.00	540.00	540.00
TOTAL EXPENDITURES & RESERVES	16,579.88	18,230.24	18,340.00

Property Tax Payment Methods

By Mail

Village of Raymond
Attn: Treasurer
2255 76th St.
Franksville, WI 53126

Village Hall Drop Box

There is a mail slot located on the north side of the Village Hall to the left of the side door.

Pay by Debit, Credit or E-Check

We accept debit and credit card payments as well as e-checks for village bills, court citations, real estate and personal property taxes. These payments can be made in person, over the phone or use the link on the village website. The telephone number is: 1-800-272-9829. The website is www.officialpayments.com. Enter Jurisdiction Code 6841. There is a fee of 2.75% for debit/credit card payments and \$3.50 for electronic checks.

Tax Payments will be accepted during the following hours only:

2019

Monday, Dec. 9th 7:00 pm - 9:00 pm (Accepting payments only if tax bills have been mailed)
Thursday, Dec. 12th 8:30 am - 11:30 am
Saturday, Dec. 14th 8:30 am - 12:30 pm
Tuesday, Dec. 17th 7:00 pm - 9:00 pm
Thursday, Dec 19th 8:30 am - 11:30 am & 7:00 pm - 9:00 pm
Thursday, Dec.26th 8:30 am - 11:30 am & 7:00 pm - 9:00 pm
Saturday, Dec. 28th 8:30 am - 12:30 pm

2020

Thursday, Jan. 2nd 8:30 am - 11:30 am
Saturday, Jan. 4th 8:30 am - 12:30 pm
Thursday, Jan. 9th 8:30 am - 11:30 am & 7:00 pm - 9:00 pm
Thursday, Jan. 16th 8:30 am - 11:30 am
Saturday, Jan. 18th 8:30 am - 12:30 pm
Thursday, Jan. 23rd 8:30 am - 11:30 am & 7:00 pm - 9:00 pm
Thursday, Jan. 30th 8:30 am - 11:30 am & 7:00 pm - 9:00 pm

Payment Tips

PLEASE make checks payable to Village of Raymond and enclose the appropriate stub from the bottom portion of the bill.

PLEASE include a SELF-ADDRESSED STAMPED ENVELOPE if you are not paying in person and would like a receipt. You are now able to view and print your receipt in real time at Racinecounty.com/government/county-treasurer/propertytaxes. Search by name, address or parcel ID.

DO NOT send cash in the mail. NO refunds will be issued at the time of payment. Refunds will be sent in the mail by check after the payment has been deposited and cleared the bank for 10 days.

DO NOT send your July payment (if electing installments) to the Village. **PLEASE** send to the **Racine County Treasurer** by July 31, 2020. **We cannot accept any form of tax payment.** If using Official Payments, enter "Racine County" as the entity and "Real Estate Taxes" for payment type for the July installment.

2020 Dog Licensing

Neutered/Spayed Fee \$10.00

Unaltered Fee \$15.00

A Proof of Rabies Vaccine is **REQUIRED**. A Dog License will not be issued without updated vaccines.

PLEASE make out a separate check for dog licenses. Do not include the license fee on your real estate tax payment check.

Be sure to include a stamped self-addressed envelope for the license, tag and paperwork.

Make checks payable to Village of Raymond. A late fee of \$5.00 will be assessed after March 31, 2020

Election Information

The following Village Board positions will appear on the ballot in the Spring of 2020. The positions are a two-year term.

Supervisor #3 – Dave Lecus
Supervisor #4 – Doug Schwartz

The first day nomination papers can be circulated is December 1, 2019. The candidate packets can be picked up in the Village Clerk's Office.



2020 ELECTION DATES

February 18, 2020
Spring Primary (if necessary)

April 7, 2020 Spring Election and
Presidential Primary

August 11, 2020 Partisan Primary

November 3, 2020 General Election
(Presidential)

**If you live in the Village of Raymond, we
have one polling place, the Village Hall.**

VOTER REGISTRATION

You can register to vote in the Clerk's office during regular business hours, Monday—Friday, 9:00 am—4:00 pm, or go to the MyVote Wisconsin Website at

www.myvote.wi.gov

At this site you can register to vote, check your voter registration status, find your polling place, see what's on your ballot, request an absentee ballot and check provisional ballot status.

VOTER ID IS REQUIRED

Learn more about photo ID and voting at
www.bringit.wi.gov

Visit the Voter Information Center at:
www.elections.wi.gov/voters

Find answers to questions about how to register, where to vote, when to vote absentee and much more.

Thank You Poll Workers!!!

Thank you to all of the Village's Poll Workers. You do a wonderful job, and, your work is appreciated.

If anyone is interested in become a poll worker, please contact the Village Clerk at 262-835-4426; or, send an email to:
Clerk@raymondwi.com.

VILLAGE OF RAYMOND WEBSITE

What has the Village Board been working on? When are the next meeting dates? Where can I learn more about what's going on in the Village? This information and more can be found on the Village's official website:
www.raymondwi.com.

The website is one of the best places to go if you have a question about the Village. If you have any input as to other items that you think would be beneficial to have included on the website, please contact the Clerk's office at 262-835-4426 or send an e-mail to:

Clerk@raymondwi.com

VILLAGE ORDINANCES CAN BE FOUND UNDER THE "VILLAGE BOARD" TAB ON THE WEBSITE

Hall Rental Available

The Village Hall and Recreation Facility are available to rent. For further information and cost, contact the Village Clerk's office.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS

Snow in the Right of Way

There is a Village ordinance that restricts plowing any snow into the ditches by your property.

“No snow may be pushed, plowed, deposited, left or piled in Village rights of way or ditches.”

Any questions, contact DPW at 262-835-2426.

Secure Those Mailboxes!

Winter will be here soon. Please check your mailbox to make sure it is SECURELY attached to your posts and that your posts are SECURELY in the ground. During times of very wet, heavy snow, some mailboxes have been knocked down. This is NOT because the plow hit them, but rather the force of the slush coming off the blade hits the mailboxes. Please take time this fall and throughout the winter to check your mailbox AND post. Thank you.

Culverts

Falling leaves have a way of collecting and eventually clogging driveway culverts. Please clean out your culverts this fall to help eliminate culvert freeze this winter.

Address Signs

Please be sure your address sign is visible from both directions. If your sign is tipping, please straighten it out. If your sign is missing or damaged, please call 262-835-4426 for a replacement. Having your sign visible allows emergency personnel to find your home quickly.

THANK YOU TO: JOHN, ALBERT, BRAD AND RANDY for the wonderful jobs that you do on the Village Roads and other Village Properties.

WHEN IS A BUILDING PERMIT NECESSARY?

Below are the required permits for improvements you may be making to your home or business in the future. If any improvement is done without the required permit, you may be subject to a penalty and be required to remove the improvement. To obtain a permit, please contact the Village building inspector Lee Greivell at 262-835-4819.

- All new residential dwellings or commercial buildings
- All additions and alterations (incl. roof replacement)
- Moving of buildings
- Swimming Pools
- Sheds, Garages, Pole Barns
- Decks
- Razing a structure
- Heating, air conditioning and fireplaces
- Plumbing & Electrical
- Any other permits as required by governing municipalities

Building permit application forms can be found on-line on the Village's website:

www.raymondwi.com under the "Village Offices" tab – scroll down to Building Inspector and you will find all building permit forms.

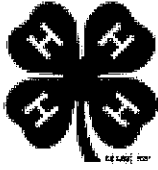
Soil Disturbance Ordinance

Please remember to follow the Village of Raymond ordinance regulating soil disturbance. The ordinance can be viewed on the Village website. Any person conducting a land disturbing construction activity involving excavating, filling or a combination thereof is required to obtain a permit from the Village of Raymond. A permit application and packet can be picked up from the Village Clerk's office. Anyone in violation of this ordinance is subject to strict penalties and fines by the Village.

**MAKE SURE TO
LICENSE YOUR DOG!**



The paperwork is with your tax bill or see the bottom of page 4 in this newsletter for more information regarding the licensing of your dog(s).



Raymond 4-H

Raymond 4-H is comprised of over 200 members, club officer, Junior Leaders and Adult Leaders. We offer many opportunities to our members, from club events, learning lifelong leadership skills, to offering many project opportunities. Raymond 4-H focuses on numerous community service projects through out the 4-H year. We strive to make 4-H fun, rewarding and educational. Let us partner with you to get the most out of your 4-H experience.

We meet the first Monday of every month (except Nov, June, July & Aug) at Raymond School.

For more information visit us on Facebook or www.raymond4h.org

RAYMOND NEIGHBORHOOD WATCH

ANNUAL MEETING

**THURSDAY, APRIL 16, 2020
6:00 PM - 7:00 PM**

**At the Raymond Village Hall
2255-76th St., Franksville, WI 53126**

Raymond Youth Baseball, Inc.

Registration begins Mid-January through February
Visit the website at: www.raymondyouthbaseball.org

- Co-Ed Coach Pitch (4K to 1st grade)
- Girls Fastpitch Softball
 - Pintos – 2nd to 4th grade
 - Juniors – 5th to 7th grade
 - Seniors – 8th to 10th grade
- Boys Baseball
 - Minors – 8 to 10 years old
 - Majors – 11 to 12 years old
 - Ponies – 13 to 15 years old

Raymond Community and Business Organization

Raymond Community & Business Organization, Inc. (RCBO)

We are a non-profit group of volunteers that organize the RCBO 4th Festival, the Easter Eggstravaganza, Santa Sunday, and provide scholarships to local High School Seniors. We are always looking for more members to help us with our events. We meet 4 times a year. Our upcoming event is Santa Sunday on December 1st. Mr and Mrs Claus will be at Raymond Town Hall from 2 – 4 pm. Children should bring a non-perishable food item for a chance to win a \$25.00 Gift Card. Also bring a letter to Santa that includes your First and Last Name, Address and Zip Code so Santa can send a return letter. You will get your picture taken with Santa and make homemade tree ornaments to take home. The event is FREE. Visit our website for more information about events and how to become involved. www.RCBO.club

**Contact your local library to find out
about their programs.**

Graham Public Library
1215 Main Street
Union Grove, WI 53182
262-878-2910
www.uniongrove.lib.wi.us

Waterford Public Library
101 N. River Street
Waterford, WI 53185
262-534-3988
www.waterford.lib.wi.us

**Central Racine County Health
Department**
10005-Northwestern Avenue
262-898-4460

Holiday Food Safety

Many of us get together with friends and family for holiday events, and food is a big part of these gatherings. CRCHD would like to offer some food safety tips to help avoid food-related illnesses that will spoil the festive atmosphere.

- Remember to clean your hands with soap and warm water before handling the food, after handling the food, and before eating the food.
- Clean surfaces before and after preparing food on them.
- Separate raw meats and seafood from ready-to-eat foods.
- Do not eat raw cookie dough or batter. If your dish contains raw eggs, be sure they are pasteurized.
- After cooking, keep hot food hot and cold food cold. Bacteria can grow rapidly at room temperature. Refrigerate or freeze any perishable food within 2 hours.
- Use a food thermometer to make sure foods are cooked to a safe internal temperature.

Internal Temperatures

- Poultry 165°F
- Seafood 145°F
- Roasts/Steaks/Chops 145°F
- Ground beef /sausages 155°F
- Hold all hot food at 135°F

Thank you Sharon Korponai for being the Village's liaison with the Health Department.

Hunters' Safety Courses

Classes will be held at the Raymond Village Hall. They will be held on February 8th, with February 9th as an alternate snow day, if needed, from 9:00 am—4:30 pm. All registrations must be done through "gowildwi.gov". If you have any questions regarding registration, please contact David Lecus at (262)412-5275 or Gary Boldt at (262)412-3553.

**VILLAGE HALL
HOLIDAY HOURS**

**THE VILLAGE HALL WILL BE
CLOSED :**

Thanksgiving – November 28th & 29th

Christmas – December 24th and 25th

New Year's – December 31st and January 1st

Posting Places

There are three posting places in the Village of Raymond where various Village notices are posted including agendas. They are at the Village Hall, Raymond Grade School and X-Treme Fireworks at 2720-W. 5 Mile Road.

Drop Box

The Clerk's office has a drop box at the Village Hall. It is located on the north side of the building. Look for the "Drop Box" sign.

News from Raymond Fire & Rescue

2019 Year in Review

Every year flies past, membership and leadership changes, and incidents come and go; 2019 has not been different from any other year. The local news has been filled with the latest issues with highway construction and development. With our transition from a Town to a Village, we have dropped the "Town of" from our name. We are now Raymond Fire & Rescue Department (RFRD) and continue responding to incidents in our community and along the I-94 corridor. You will see that some of our apparatus is still labeled "Town of Raymond". We are slowly working to change the name over on all apparatus as time and money allow.

In 2018, RFRD responded to 438 incidents. As of October 31, 2019, we have responded to 363 calls which is trending towards another increase of approximately +9%. The department has endured some major calls this year including the numerous major incidents on the I-94 corridor

We have expanded our clerk's responsibilities to a part-time paid position. This position was added to enhance our record keeping abilities, take some of the administrative load off of our officers, and have someone available during normal business hours to better assist the public and the department. Cheryl Bayer has taken on the responsibilities and is doing a wonderful job organizing and completing our required incident reporting.

Membership Update

The Raymond Fire & Rescue Department membership currently stands at thirty-three firefighters and EMT's. In 2019, there were three new members, a returning "new hire" as well as a few departures. It is important for our residents to understand we are always looking for qualified, dedicated members.

During 2019, RFRD attended two recruitment events at the Gateway Technical College HERO Center in Burlington. The event provided valuable membership information for those interested in joining RFRD.

For those interested in learning more about our department and opportunities to become a firefighter, EMT or both, please contact us at (262) 835-1687. Feel free to join us at one of our Monday night in-service trainings or meetings which typically start at 7pm.

Volunteer Fire Departments are Changing

A true volunteer fire department is one that operates with individuals who receive no compensation. The Raymond Fire & Rescue Department was once a full volunteer department. Over the years the volunteer department transitioned to a paid per call department that compensated members a small hourly wage for each hour on an emergency call and for trainings. Both volunteer and paid per call departments do not provide staffing at the fire station. Members respond to the station from home or work when a call is received. Members are not paid for being on duty or "on call." They only receive compensation when a call for service is received or for training. No true volunteer fire departments remain in Racine County. Increased call volume and decreasing willingness to volunteer has decimated these departments and have forced them to pay for daytime staffing or move to a full time 24/7 staffed career department.

Raymond is one of two fire departments in Racine county that remain a paid per call fire department that does not pay for staffing at the fire station. This allows the fire department budget to remain small compared to our neighbors who have been forced to pay for staffing a station. Village taxes would dramatically increase if we had to transition to a staffed fire department. To try to prevent this change, the village board recently increased the hourly compensation for fire department members significantly. This wage increase aligns us well with our neighbors so we now compensate our members appropriately for responding to calls and training. Although Raymond is no longer a volunteer fire department, our membership volunteers many hours at community events like fundraisers, recruitment drives, open houses, fire prevention week activities, and many other community, school, and church events.

Our membership remains a professional group of diverse students, retirees, business professionals, and busy parents. Our membership once was near 50, but now has shrunk to 30 dedicated hard working men and

TRASH & RECYCLING NEWS



ITEMS TO RECYCLE

Magazines, office paper, brown paper bags, newspapers, paperboard, junk mail, phone books, paper, cardboard, dairy and juice containers, aluminum

cans, tin or steel cans, glass, bottles and jars, cardboard, plastic bottles and containers #1—#7.

Garbage Pickup

The Village of Raymond does not have weekly home garbage collection. If you would like home garbage collection, please contact Waste Management at 262-878-3818 or Veolia Environment Muskego location at 262-679-0860 to find out about their contract services and prices.

If residents do not want to contract for garbage collection, they are allowed to take their waste to the Metro Landfill, which is located on Highway 45 and 8 Mile Road (the entrance is one block east of Highway 45 on 8-Mile Road). Their hours are Monday, Wednesday and Friday, from 8:00 am to 4:00 pm, and on Saturdays from 7:00 am to 3:00 pm. If you have any questions, please call Metro Landfill at 1-414-529-6180.

*Residents arriving at the facility shall show proof of residency. Driver's License, utility bill or rental agreement are acceptable forms of residency.

*The maximum waste volume accepted shall not exceed 2 cubic yards per visit.

*Large loads from cleanouts or construction debris, boats, and hot tubs will not be accepted at the residential area and are subject to the standard gate rate.

*Appliances/white goods are not accepted at the residential area and must be recycled. This includes microwaves, refrigerators, washer and dryers, dehumidifiers, humidifiers and water heaters.

*Four automobile tires per year will be accepted per resident at the residential area. No large tires such as agricultural tires and semi tires will be allowed and are subject to gate rate.

*No plastic bags in the composting area. Bags must be emptied and put in the trash.

*The gate attendant reserves the right to reject any item self hauled by a resident or charge the resident the standard gate rate to accept the items.

THANK YOU, Stan Bugnacki!

Stan has volunteered his services as the liaison for the Village regarding the Landfill Siting Committee Matters.

Household Hazardous Waste Collection Locations

MUSKEGO

Jensen Environmental Management
W144 S6347 College Court

• 1st and 3rd Saturdays, 8 a.m. to noon
CLOSED DECEMBER AND JANUARY

FRANKLIN

Veolia Environmental Services
10518 South 124th Street

• 2nd and 4th Saturdays, 8 a.m. to 2:00 pm
CLOSED DECEMBER AND JANUARY

Both of these sites are closed during the months of January and February and also on holidays. Check the holiday closing schedule at

www.waukeshacounty.gov/hazardouswaste

or call 262-896-8300

Racine Re-Store Habitat for Humanity

Re-Store accepts donated new and gently used goods from retailers, contractors and homeowners. These goods are then sold at reduced prices to the public.

The store operation generates funds that go directly to supporting Habitat for Humanity's home building program in Racine, while reducing the amount of material that would otherwise go into overflowing landfills.

The Re-Store is located at 2302 DeKoven Ave. Racine on the northwest corner of the Kranz building. Store hours are Tuesday & Thursday 10:00a.m. – 4:00p.m. and Saturday 9:00a.m.-4:00p.m. Any questions can be directed to 262-898-2929

Electronics Disposal Ban It's the Law!

State Statute 287-07 (5) - As of September 1, 2010 it's illegal to put these electronics in the trash in Wisconsin: cell phones, computers, computer monitors, computer peripherals, desktop printers, fax machines, televisions and video recorders/players. To learn more go to www.wm.com (search "recycling") or call 1-888-960-0008.

LEGACY RECYCLING in Sturtevant will take old TV's. They charge \$20.00 for up to 27" tube type TV; more for larger sets. Also, Best Buy takes electronics and flat screen TV's for a charge.

<http://www.legacy-recycling.com>

women. We always welcome new members, and offer competitive compensation, paid training and uniforms. State certification classes in firefighting and emergency medical services (EMS) are paid for by the village. We have some members certified in firefighting, some in EMS, and many that hold both certifications. We continue to explore other incentives and options including retirement accounts, tax benefits, and childcare. We are flexible and have single parents, business owners, international travelers, and college students in our ranks. Our most active members are compensated hundreds of dollars each month for the time they give to helping our community. Let us show you how rewarding joining our department can be. Contact us today for an application at 262-835-1687.

CPR-AED Class



In 2019, the Raymond Fire & Rescue Department hosted multiple American Heart Association Heartsaver public classes in our station and at local businesses. If you are interested in participating, which is a 3-hour class, call the department at (262) 835-1687 and leave a message with your name and phone number.

Burning Hours



The Village of Raymond burning hours are from 12:00pm (noon) to 7:00pm, seven days a week. You are allowed to burn organic materials such as brush, grass, leaves, and small tree branches. You must attend the fire at all times and have one means of extinguishment. All burning, this includes agricultural burns, brush fires, and recreational bonfires, are to be called into the Racine County Communications Center at (262) 886-2300 AND the Raymond Fire and Rescue Department at (262) 835-1687. Please provide your name, the date, time, and address of the burn.

Smoke & Carbon Monoxide Detectors



Be sure to change the batteries on your smoke and carbon monoxide detectors semi-annually. A good rule of thumb is to change them when you change your clocks (daylight savings). Remember that detectors only last up to 10 years.

Wisconsin law states that all residential buildings have a working smoke and carbon monoxide detector on every floor.



Fire Safety Public Education Program

Each year the Raymond Fire & Rescue Department and the Raymond Fire & Rescue Association is proud to participate in National Fire Prevention week. According to NFPA.org, "Fire Prevention Week is on record as the longest running public health observance, according to the National Archives and Records Administration's Library Information Center."

The Raymond Fire & Rescue Association held its Annual Pancake Breakfast on the first Sunday in October, as usual, to kick off National Fire Prevention Week. The Pancake Breakfast welcomed hundreds of community members of all ages to many new offerings and a new layout.

In years past, breakfast was served in the Village Hall's main meeting room, and pancakes were prepared by a local vendor. This year we decided to ask the local vendor to come back so our membership could focus on the community and provide more activities for the attending public. This year's weather was awesome and attracted people to stay and enjoy the festivities.

The department and Association would like to thank those of you who attended, and most importantly donated! Additionally, thank you to those who volunteered! The additional help from the RCBO, 4-H, and students from our local school districts was greatly appreciated. The corporate sponsorship this year was nothing short of incredible.

Overall the event was a success but some areas of improvement were identified. The committee will be addressing concerns of room temperature and long lines for second's. The Association and department look forward to next year's event, which will be held on the first Sunday in October again, October 4, 2020.

On Friday, October 4, 2019, the department hosted the annual Safety Day at the fire station. Approximately 200 students, from Raymond and North Cape Schools, ranging from 4K to 2nd grade, participated in three stations. Students were touring and learning about the department rigs and how firefighters respond. In the newly completed dayroom, students watched a 15-minute movie learning all about fire safety.

Finally, in what has been hailed as the "excitement/fun" station, students took control of the nozzle and fought the fire in teams of three.

These events are only made possible through the hard work and dedication of the department's membership, and the generous and motivating donations of sponsors and residents in the community. Gil Bachmann has led the department's involvement with Fire Prevention and organized these great events with the students in Raymond Village.



School That Serve Our Community

Raymond School District
2659-76th Street, Franksville, WI
262-835-2929

Yorkville School District
18621 Washington Avenue, Union Grove, WI
878-3759

North Cape School District
11926 Hwy. K, Franksville, WI
835-4069

Norway-Drought School District
21016 W. 7 Mile Road, Franksville, WI
895-7778

Student in the Raymond and Yorkville School
Districts attend
Union Grove Union High School
3433 S. Colony Ave. (Hwy. 45), Union Grove, WI
878-2434

Students in the North Cape & Drought School
Districts attend
Waterford Union High School
507 W. Main Street, Waterford, WI
534-3189