



COMMUNITYLINK NEWSLETTER

21 SE SECOND STREET—CHATFIELD, MN 55923

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BRUSH & LEAF DUMP



Opening Soon!

The gate will be opened as soon as the drive is passable.

Brush, Leaves and Grass
Clippings Only, Please.

SPRING LEAF PICK UP

Mon & Tue, April 29 & 30
Brian 507-867-3810

Residents may place bagged leaves (no other refuse of any kind) at street curbside. Public works department helps residents dispose of leaves at no charge each spring.



VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITIES ARE AVAILABLE

TOURISM CENTER—



If you would be interested in sharing your community pride and knowledge with visitors to our community please contact Rocky at 507-867-3810

or rburnett@ci.chatfield.mn.us

WESTERN DAYS FLOAT—



If you would be interested in pulling the community float in area parades please contact Pam Bluhm at 507-867-3870 or

pbluhm@bluffcountrynews.com

COMMERCIAL & INDUSTRIAL LAND FOR SALE



- Commercial and industrial lots on Enterprise Drive SE (formerly called Industrial Drive).
- 13 lots to choose from—it may be possible to combine lots
- Lot sizes range from about 21,000 sf—36,000 sf
- Perfect for trade shops, warehousing, distribution, light manufacturing, or similar businesses
- Call the Chatfield EDA for more information—507-867-3810

STREET SWEEPING

The city crew will start sweeping the streets in early April. Sweeping will continue until all streets are completed. Depending on the weather, this process takes approximately two weeks. In order to sweep the entire street, we need the streets to be clear of vehicles. Please remove your vehicles from the city streets until your street has been completed. Thank you.

ANNUAL DISCLOSURE NOTICE: SOLID WASTE DISPOSAL SITES

Wm. Hanson Waste Removal disposes residential and commercial waste at Fillmore County Resource Recovery Center and Olmsted County Waste Energy Facility. Demolition and construction material is disposed of at Veit Disposal Systems and Root River Transfer Station. *Note: Residents may be responsible for any liability that results from contamination at a facility where your waste has been disposed. Minnesota believes that its waste management system provides substantially more financial and environmental protection than depositing waste in landfills in other states. Managing your waste in Minnesota may minimize your potential liability.*

CITY OF CHATFIELD

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In Case of Emergency:

Ambulance (Non Emergency)

Police (Non Emergency)

Chatfield Public Library

9-1-1

507-867-4446

507-867-3331

507-867-3480



Upcoming POTTER PRODUCTION
RHONDA VINCENT
& The Rage
THURSDAY, APRIL 11
Concert @ 7:30PM
TICKETS NOW AVAILABLE
Doors open at 6pm. Food & concessions available.



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SUZIE VINNICK
Sat, Apr 13 @ 7:30PM
the chosen bean
\$20 ADMISSION
OR 4 SHOW
SUBSCRIPTION
PACKAGE FOR \$70
Doors open 45 minutes prior to the show. Chosen Bean concerts are held in the American Legion Room of the Chatfield Center for the Arts.



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Author Tour 2019
FREE AND OPEN TO THE PUBLIC

William Kent Krueger
Chatfield
Center for the Arts
April 23, 7:00 pm




Minnesota State Band
with Chatfield Brass Band
SUNDAY, APRIL 28
Concert @ 2PM
Potter Auditorium
FREE WILL DONATION • GENERAL ADMISSION



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TROUT CLASSIC Saturday, April 13th
Chatfield Fire Hall—318 Main Street South
Pancake and Sausage Breakfast 6:00-10:00 a.m.
Silent auction held during breakfast until 12:00 p.m.
Free Youth Fishing Contest—weigh in & prizes at 12:00 p.m.
Brandon Delaney 507-208-1949 delaney.brandon07@gmail.com

SPRING SEWER LINE CLEANING (JETTING)

The Public works Department will be cleaning sewer lines during the month of April. A cleaning nozzle is propelled from one manhole to the next using water under high pressure. The nozzle is then pulled back to the starting manhole. As the nozzle is pulled back, water scours the inside of the sanitary sewer pipe. Any debris in the pipe is pulled back with the water. If roots are found, they are cut with a root cutter. This process is repeated on every sewer line cleaned.

During cleaning of sanitary sewer lines, air occasionally vents into a home through the sanitary sewer service line and ventilation system. When this happens, water in the toilet bowl can bubble or surge or, in rare instances, splash out of the bowl. We remind you that the water that could come from this type of incident is from the bowl itself.

The common causes of air venting into homes during sanitary sewer cleaning are: air movement from normal cleaning operations, the use of higher pressure needed when cleaning sanitary sewer lines that have a steep slope, sewer lines running close to the building, a plugged roof vent, and the size and complexity of the home's waste and ventilation system. **To minimize the chance of water splashing out of your toilet bowl, please keep the lid down.**

If you have any further questions, please contact the City of Chatfield, Wastewater superintendent Chris Daniels (507) 867-4321.



APRIL 2019

- Mon Apr 1st—
Planning & Zoning 7:00 pm
- Mon Apr 8th—
City Council 7:00 pm
- Mon Apr 22nd—
EDA 4:30 pm
- Mon Apr 22nd—
City Council 7:00 pm

ELECTED OFFICIALS

MAYOR

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Chatfield Fire Department and the Public Works Department will be doing the annual flushing of fire hydrants. Minnesota Rural Water Association and the International Organization for Standardization (ISO) require hydrants to be flushed annually to make sure they are working properly and to flush hydrant leads, mains and dead end water mains.

While the hydrants are being flushed, you may notice a brief change in water pressure and it may change the color of your water in your home. If this happens, let your water run until it's clear and clean the screens on your faucets as they may get plugged with particles from the mains.

The Fire Department will be flushing hydrants Monday nights from 6:30 until 8:30 pm, April 2nd, April 16th and May 7th. The city crew will also be flushing hydrants during the daytime hours between April 2nd and May 7th.

The department uses this process as training for proper hydrant operation and to check for any maintenance issues that need attention.

After each hydrant has been flushed the marking flags will be removed.