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JULY 2012

- **Mon Jun 2nd—**
Planning & Zoning 7:00 pm
- **Mon Jun 9th—**
City Council 7:00 pm
- **Wed Jul 11th—**
CCAB 7:00 am
- **Mon Jun 23rd—**
City Council 7:00 pm
- **Thu Jul 26th—**
EDA 5:30 pm

ELECTED OFFICIALS

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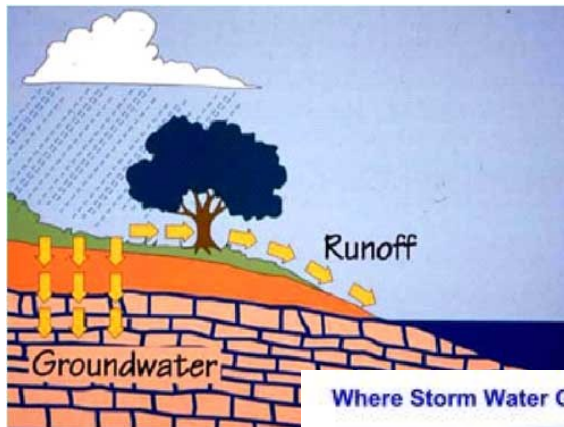
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Lawn Care Tips & Wellhead Protection

With summer here, homeowners are looking forward to working outdoors on their lawns and gardens. While we all want a nice green lawn, how we manage fertilizers, herbicides or other chemicals around the home can have detrimental affects on both surface and ground water resources.



Where Storm Water Goes After the Curb Inlet



In an effort to protect the city wells and the community drinking water supply, the City of Chatfield is in the process of implementing a Wellhead Protection Plan. Property owners are encouraged to use best management practices when using lawn care products and chemicals around your home. Lawn care products such as fertilizers can impact groundwater in several ways. First, fertilizers can enter groundwater directly

due to excessive application rates which will result in some of the nutrients applied leaching through the soil at a faster rate than the plants can take

more time to bind to the soil and be taken up by your lawn. Similarly, other chemicals used around the yard such as herbicides and pesticides should be used sparingly, at the right time of year and at the rates recommended by the manufacturer.

The second way over application of fertilizers and chemicals on your lawn can impact groundwater results from surface water run-off to the city storm sewer. The city storm water collectors you see along your street collect surface water run-off and discharge the water to the Root River through a series of pipes and outfalls under the city

streets. Planning ahead and timing the fertilizer application for when the lawn is actively growing and there is a decreased threat of heavy precipitation allows the nutrients

If you have questions about the City of Chatfield's drinking water supply or wellhead protection efforts contact Brian Burkholder at 507-867-3810.

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In Case of Emergency:

Ambulance (Non Emergency)

Police (Non Emergency)

Chatfield Public Library

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507-867-4446

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Growers Market



THURSDAYS, 3:00—7:00 PM
MAY—OCTOBER
Chatfield City Park—Main Street / Hwy 52S

Chantel Prigge 507-951-8405
growersmarket@yahoo.com

JULY 5—CONCERT IN THE PARK**"My Country, 'Tis of Thee"****JULY 12—CONCERT****Care Center Concert - 7 pm**

Join the band and residents at Chosen Valley Care Center for musical favorites and ice cream.

FRI & SAT, JULY 13TH - 14TH - 7:30 PM

Wit's End Theatre
1st Annual—"Valley Revue"

A non-stop parade of the great show tune gems!!

Historic Potter Auditorium—405 Main Street South, Chatfield, MN

SUNDAY, JULY 15**Pilot Mound Concert
& Ice Cream Social - 7 pm**

*Take a scenic drive to Pilot Mound!
Come early for BBQs, pie and ice cream.*

2012 SONGS OF HOPE CONCERT**Tuesday, July 17th, 2012—7:00 PM**

Chatfield Center for the Arts
Free will offerings will be accepted

Each summer, up to 75 children and adults venture to Minnesota from Europe, Asia, Africa, Latin America, the Middle East, and the U.S. They start as strangers but soon find themselves embraced in a closely-knit, supportive community as they learn popular songs and dances from each other's cultures. Then, they take these songs of peace love, and respect into neighboring communities in a joyous celebration of cultural unity, delighting their audiences along the way.

JULY 19—CONCERT IN THE PARK**Jack Brass Band**

Embracing the traditions of New Orleans jazz, at the same time adding old time blues, rock, hip-hop, funk and reggae.



July 19th & 26

3rd and 4th**CHATFIELD THURSDAYS****Tuesday— August 7th, 2012****6:30—8:30 City Park**

National Night Out is designed to

- Heighten crime and drug prevention awareness
- Increase support for local crime prevention efforts
- Strengthen community spirit & police community relationships
- Send a message to criminals that our community is organized and fighting back against crime

You are invited to join local neighbors, police officers, EMTs and volunteer firefighters in the park on Tuesday, August 7th to get to know one another and to show your support. The kids will enjoy the trucks & activities too!

Remember to turn your outside light on to show support for National Night Out.

**JULY 26—
Winona Brass Band***A British style brass band*