

Welcome to Stratford...



Chief Miller

Chief of Police, Timothy Miller has been in Stratford for 4 months now. Tim comes to Stratford with over 23 years of law enforcement experience.

Tim is joined by his wife of 16 years, Tirzah, and their 3 children, Cody—13, Tessa—11, and Reid—9. Tim and his family are getting settled into the community, with all 3 kids looking forward to starting school here in Stratford! Tirzah has been busy with the new Kohl's store in Marshfield.

Tim is evaluating the needs of the community and how the police department can best serve its residents and visitors.



Officer Schleis

New police officer, Zachery Schleis, was hired in August to fill the full-time officer position in Stratford. Zach comes to Stratford with over 6 years of law enforcement experience.

Zach and his wife, Heather, have a son, Kohlton—12. Zach and his family are looking forward to moving to Stratford and becoming very active in the community and schools.

Chief Miller is confident that Officer Schleis will be an immediate asset to the police department and the community.



Tim and Zach welcome all visitors to stop in and say "Hi" at Stratford's Municipal Building and please introduce yourselves to them when you see them out in the community!

2017 GARBAGE & RECYCLING RATES



The Village of Stratford contract for household garbage collection with Advanced Disposal Services will remain at the current rates for the coming calendar year as follows:

Cart Size	Capacity	2017 Annual Charge
Small	35 gallon	\$ 84.00
Medium	65 gallon	\$ 108.00
Large	95 gallon	\$ 132.00

Village residents also pay \$45.00 per year for recycling collection services. With more diligent recycling efforts, many households are able to save money by reducing the size of their garbage cart.



New for 2017, we will continue single-streaming the recyclables but in new 95 gallon roll-out carts. The roll-out carts will be delivered the last week of December or the first week of January.

The price will remain the same. The new roll-out recycling carts, just like the garbage carts, are owned by Advanced Disposal and stay with the property.

Keep in mind that weekly garbage must fit inside your cart. Stickers for excess garbage bags are available at the Village Clerk's Office at a cost of \$1.50 per sticker. It may be a financial savings for you to reduce the size of your garbage cart and keep a few of the \$1.50 stickers on hand for the occasional weeks that you have excess garbage.

Anyone wishing to change the size of your garbage cart must make that request by contacting the Village Clerk's Office by October 31st.

RECYCLING CRATES - YOU OWN THEM



The recycling crates you currently have are yours! Additional crates are for sale at \$7.00 each at the Municipal Building. We brainstormed a few ideas of how you might use them: transporting gardening supplies, a trunk organizer, storing toys or balls, and sorting wood. What other ideas can **you** think of? We will let you know when the new roll-out recycling carts will be delivered.



HERITAGE TRAIL EVENTS

3k/5k Trail Run/Walk Saturday, September 24th 9:00 a.m. - Start

An event for your entire family - benefitting the Heritage Trail!


Entry fee: **\$20.00** per person includes a long-sleeved wicking shirt, refreshments, and awards. **Discounted fee** for 3 or more members of your immediate family.

Register by August 31st to guarantee a shirt in your size. Registration forms are available on our website: www.stratfordwi.com

Environmental Awareness Day Saturday, October 1st 10:00 a.m. - 1:00 p.m.

A cooperative effort of the *Stratford FFA* and the *Village of Stratford Tree Advisory Board*.

Meet the Tree Board, visit stations to learn tree identification and health, invasive species, forestry, sustainability and other environmental concepts.

Enjoy a walk on the **Heritage Trail**, refreshments, and visit the new environmental lending libraries. 

FALL CLEAN UP DAY Thursday, October 13th

- Please keep in mind, this is a service for Village of Stratford residential customers as part of our annual contract with Advanced Disposal. Our contract rates will be impacted by allowing non-residents to bring their excess garbage or large items to a village address for collection!
- Curbside collection of discarded household items, such as mattresses, carpet, major appliances, furniture, excess garbage, etc.
- NO tires, construction materials, waste oil or filters, computers, electronics, televisions, or microwave ovens.
- If there is a lot of materials to pick up, the crew may also need Friday to get everything collected.

VILLAGE OF STRATFORD

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Department	Phone	* Email
Clerk / Treasurer	715-687-4166	stratfordclerk
Police Dept. (non-emergency)	715-687-3131	stratfordpolice
(in emergencies)	Dial 911	
Water & Electric Dept. (billing)	715-687-4166	stratfordutility
Shop (public works & utilities)	715-687-4118	stratfordpubworks

*Email addresses end in: @stratfordwi.com
Village Ordinances online: <http://www.ecode360.com/ST2150>

For after hours utility emergencies, please call 715-687-4118. Listen to the message for the staff 's "on call" phone number.

TRICK OR TREAT

Village of Stratford
Monday, October 31st
5:30 - 7:30 p.m.



Have a safe & fun Halloween!

VOTE 2016

Presidential Election Day
Tuesday, November 8th.
We are anticipating a **high voter turnout** for this election. If you are not registered in the Village of Stratford, it will be helpful to register in advance at the Clerk's office.

- Please bring **Proof Of Residency (P.O.R.)!** Most commonly used P.O.R. documents include:
WI Driver's License/ID
Bank Statement
Pay Stub
Utility Bill
More options can be found at www.myvote.wi.gov
- **Registering early:**
Saves Tax Dollars,
It's fast and easy, and
Increases accuracy in the poll books.
Less time at the Polls.



WINTER PARKING

The Stratford Police Department is reminding citizens that vehicles cannot be parked on any village street or state highway between the hours of 2:00 a.m. and 6:30 a.m. from **November 1st to April 1st**. This is to allow unobstructed access to the streets for timely removal of snow. 