



## CITY HALL OFFICE HOURS:

Monday, Tuesday & Thursday  
9:30am to 1:30pm.  
Wed. & Fri. closed, but residents  
can call for an appointment.

**City Hall will be closed Tuesday, November 11th in observance of Veterans Day and on Thursday, November 27th for Thanksgiving Day.**

## City Meetings for November:

**All at 6:00pm—City Hall**

### Planning Commission:

Wednesday, November 5th

### Parks Commission:

No Meeting this month

### City Council Meeting:

Monday, November 17th

## Message from the Mayor

### NO PARKING ~ RESTRICTIONS IN EFFECT

Lake St. Croix Beach has parking regulations during the winter months because of the narrow streets. Between November and April, no vehicle can be left parked on the streets of the City for more than 24 consecutive hours at any time. Vehicles must be off the paved street surface. Vehicles that are left parked in violation of the ordinance may be removed by the Washington County Sheriff's Department, or persons employed or designated by it, and stored in an appropriate place. Not only is this an important ordinance to follow for the snowplows, but also for school buses and emergency vehicles that need clear access to use the roads.

### Snow Removal & Garbage/Recycling Containers

The City contracts with Tri-County Services, Inc. to provide snow removal throughout the City on local streets and roadways. In order for them to do an effective and thorough job, cars cannot be parked on the street after a snowfall. Within 48 hours of a snowfall of two inches or more, the snowplows start plowing the main streets of LSCB. Secondary streets soon follow. If you have any questions or concerns regarding snowplowing, please call the City at 651.436.7031.

Please do not place your garbage or recycling containers on the street. The trucks picking up have extending arms and can reach your containers from your property up to 12 feet.

Our thoughts go out to the family and friends of Sue Siebenaler, a long time resident of Lake St. Croix Beach, who passed away recently.

As always, stay safe! Have a great Thanksgiving Holiday ~ Mayor Tom



## VETERAN'S MEMORIAL REMEMBRANCE SERVICE

**SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 8th, 1:00 pm.**

**All are invited to attend.**

The Veterans Group has placed new benches in the park. Come and sit awhile! They have placed plaques with names and dates of conflicts on the white paneled fencing at the back of the Park and are installing two more stanchions of bricks memorializing veterans connected to the 5 cities in the valley. Come out and take a look at all the improvements made to the Park this year.

## Veterans Recognition Dinner



**Monday, November 10, 2025**

**5 p.m. to 6:30 p.m.**

**At The Church of St. Francis of Assisi  
Lake Saint Croix Beach**

**FREE** Dinner for Lower St. Croix Valley Veterans, Service Members and their Families

**Thank you for your service**



**CONTACTS**

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651-436-7669

**Burning Permits**  
651.248.5103

**Environmental Center**  
651.275.7475

**LSCV Fire Department**  
651.436.7033

**Sheriff's Department**  
651.439.9381

**Lakeland Water Utility**  
651.436.8044

**Well Water Test Kits (WA County)**  
651.430.6655

**US Post Office (Lakeland)**  
651.436.5469

**EMERGENCY**  
911

**Highlights of the October Council Meeting** (This is not every action taken)

**The Council voted on the following:**

- Ordinance 2025-10-01: Amending Chapter 153 of the code of ordinances to regulate land use in the Lower St. Croix Natural Scenic Riverway. Motion passed 5:0.
- Resolution 2025-10-01: Approving and directing summary publication of an ordinance amending Chapter 153. Motion passed 5:0.
- Resolution 2025-10-02: to approve the proposed 2026 Operating Budget of the Lower St. Croix Valley Fire Protection District (LSCVFPD). Motion passed 5:0.
- Resolution 2025-10-03: Setting fines for offenses and removing mandatory court appearances. Motion passed 5:0.
- to approve consent agenda after reviewing financials. Motion passed 5:0.
- to approve a License for Stormwater Management Facilities Declaration and Easement Agreement and Retaining Wall License for 16855 21st St. S. Motion passed 5:0.
- to approve the contract for new accounting services subject to Attorney Benson's approval.
- to approve a Joint Powers Agreement and Water Service Connection Agreement for 16477 23rd St. S., St. Mary's Point.
- Motion to terminate employment of Dave Engstrom, City Clerk Administrator. Motion passed 3:2
- Motion to appoint Mary Ashby as Interim City Clerk. Motion passed 5:0.

**The City's Building Inspector is Stensland Inspections**  
Phone: 651-436-7669

**PRIOR TO STARTING ANY BUILDING PROJECT please call the City Office (651.436.7031) to determine whether a permit will be required.**

**ATV / Golf Cart Permit Renewals**

Are you planning on using your ATV this winter, maybe for ice-fishing, ploughing or just getting around town? Come into City Hall and get your 2026 permit sticker for \$15.00 and you'll be covered for all of next year. Similarly, if you are putting your golf cart away for the season but want to get your '26 permit now, please stop in at City Hall.

**Snowmobiles**

Snowmobiles are not licensed through the city but must be registered through the State. The City has DNR brochures regarding Snowmobile Regulations available at City Hall. Please review Chapter 71:Recreational Vehicles of the city ordinances to follow the rules of snowmobile use in Lake St. Croix Beach.



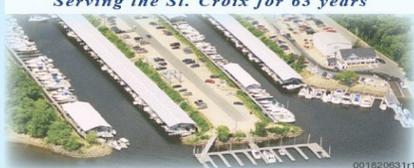
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## Valley Library Events and Important Dates

**Library Closure Date:** Tuesday, November 11th for Veterans Day. Thursday, November 27th for Thanksgiving.

**For All Ages:** showcase the Community with a **Tiny Art Exhibit**. Take and Return kits are available now (the sooner you return your art, the longer it will be on display.) Stop by to view the submitted Tiny Art Exhibit through November 15<sup>th</sup>

### For Adults:

The Valley Library Book Club. The title selection for the **Thursday December 4th** (moved from 11/27 due to Thanksgiving) **5:00-6:00pm** meeting is "*The Fire Next Time*" by James Baldwin. Limited copies available at Library.

U.S. Civil War Genealogy Thursday, November 6th 2:30-4:30pm Registration Required

### For Kids:

**Every Monday 10:30-11:00 am** Storytime

**Thursday, November 13th 6:00 pm**  
Pajama Storytime

**Thursday, November 13<sup>th</sup> 2:30-4:00**  
After School Activity: Light Table & Tangram Puzzles

For complete information on these events and others, and to register for programs go to [www.washcolib.org](http://www.washcolib.org)

Lower St. Croix Valley Fire Department  
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## Annual Fire Extinguisher Service Event

The Lower St. Croix Valley Fire Department is excited to announce an upcoming opportunity to help you stay fire-code compliant!

Becker Fire and Safety Services will be at the Fire Department on November 19th, 2025, starting at 9:00am and going till 12:00pm to perform annual fire extinguisher service.

Who should participate?

This service applies to both commercial buildings and homeowners, as all fire extinguishers are required to be serviced annually by a licensed contractor.

What to do:

- Bring your fire extinguisher(s) to the back parking lot of the Fire Station on the day of the event.
- Becker Fire and Safety Services will inspect and service the units on-site. You'll be billed directly by the company.
- Once serviced, you can take your extinguishers back to their original locations.

Don't miss this convenient opportunity to ensure your extinguishers are up to code and ready in case of emergency!

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