



T O W N of T R O Y

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Town Hall Office Hours: Monday through Thursday, 9 AM to 12:30 PM

Recycle Center Hours: Tuesdays & Thursdays – 1:00 PM to 6:30 PM & Saturdays – 8:00 AM to 12:30 PM

Spring Election

Tuesday April 7th, 2020 is Election Day! All residents of the Town of Troy vote at the Troy Town Hall (Troy Government Center) located at 654 Glover Road. Polls will be open from 7:00 AM to 8:00 PM.

Candidates for Town Board are:

Supervisor #2:

Lowell C. Enerson (incumbent)

Supervisor #4:

Cliff Jennings (incumbent)

Ray Knapp (challenger)

Election information can be found at <https://myvote.wi.gov> which provides complete voter information including online registration form, sample ballots, where to vote, and much more for all voter types (regular, overseas, and military voters).

In addition to the Troy Supervisor election, the Spring Election includes elections for School Board Members for both the Hudson and River Falls School Districts; St. Croix County Board Supervisors; State Judicial Offices; referendum questions, and the Presidential Preference Primary.

For more information on the Spring Election or for questions you may have, contact the town hall at 715-425-2665.

Troy Annual Meeting

Tuesday April 21st – 7:00 PM

Troy’s Annual Meeting will be held at the Town Hall, 654 Glover Road, at 7:00 PM on Tuesday, April 21st. Town officials will make short presentations about the town budget, our 2020 road construction projects, our town parks, and other related town activities. *This is your meeting and opportunity to express town concerns, present issues and help shape Troy’s future.*

Please try to attend, share your thoughts and hear what others in our Town are thinking. Coffee, juice and cookies will be provided.

Open House and Dedication of New Multipurpose Building at Glover Park

Sat., May 2, 2020, 10 AM- Noon

The general public is invited to an Open House and dedication of the new multipurpose building at Glover Park, located at 428 N. Glover Rd, Hudson and, the opportunity to hike the restored Eagle Trail and Eagle Pass. Park Board members will host the celebration of the new pavilion, community kitchen, and modern restroom facility. The efforts of many individuals, local officials, project managers, building contractors, financial contributors, and others involved in the project from inception through the planning stages to completion will be recognized. Refreshments will be served. Join us for a tour of the new facility and a hike on the trails!

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Shown left is the new Multipurpose building at Glover Park. It provides modern bathrooms at the park, along with a small community kitchen and a new pavilion. More enhancements at the park are planned, including a pickleball court.

Join us (rain or shine) on May 2nd from 10 AM – noon for an open house. See story on page 1.

Election Information

WISCONSIN REQUIRES A PHOTO ID TO VOTE

Absentee Voting. In Wisconsin, you do not need a reason to vote absentee. For this Election we will be offering extended hours to allow more people to vote absentee. Please remember that even if you vote absentee, you must show an acceptable form of photo identification. The additional hours are listed to the lower right.

There are a number of ways you can request an absentee ballot, the first is to visit (<https://myvote.wi.gov/>) and click on Vote Absentee. You will need to complete the requested information. Also, you can send your request by email or US mail. All you need to do is provide us with the date of the election (April 7th), your name, your address in Troy, and the address you would like the ballot mailed to. You must include a copy of a valid photo ID with your request. Please go to the town's website to find an Absentee Ballot Request Form, <https://townoftroy.org/election-information/>

Voter Registration. You can check to see if you are registered to vote, update your name or address or register to vote online at <https://myvote.wi.gov/en-us/RegisterToVote>. MyVote is available in both English and Spanish. For more information or to find a Voter Registration Form go to the town's website at <https://townoftroy.org/election-information/>

Mailbox Replacement Policy

The Town of Troy has operations which require various types of vehicles and equipment to work on Town roads, including snow removal and plowing. The Town takes great care to not damage any property within the right-of-way, however, mailboxes do occasionally get damaged.

The Town has adopted a policy for mailbox repairs and installation. Damages should be reported to the Town Clerk as soon as they are realized along with pictures of the damaged mailbox. Claims must be submitted by May 1st of each year. You may be entitled to reimbursement of up to \$50.00. Contact the town hall for more information or a copy of the complete policy.

Town of Troy Absentee Voting Hours

Starting March 23rd

Monday - Thursday 9:00 AM - 12:30 PM

ADDITIONAL HOURS:

Thursday, April 2nd &
Friday, April 3rd
3:00 - 5:00 PM

Carpenter Nature Center's Wisconsin Campus-

A Nature Preserve Located in the Town of Troy

Free and open to the public year-round and situated on the St. Croix River bluffs on East Cove Road sits the 300-acre preserve owned by Carpenter St. Croix Valley Nature Center — a broad prairie and a wooded hillside, an old farmstead and an oak savanna, linked together by winding trails, loved by all who walk them. The site is protected and managed for native species. The Henslow's sparrow, a bird species that has drastically declined, nests among the grass. Kittentails, designated rare or threatened in each of the few states where it grows, bloom each June. Big bluestem grass waves above your head as you walk the trails in late summer.

Since the initial gift of land in 1989, Carpenter has always envisioned and worked toward a permanent facility on its Wisconsin Campus. While the land will still be managed to promote natural habitat, Carpenter is seeking funding to build a modest yet comfortable Interpretive Center tucked in the woods. It will provide a facility for children, adults and families to connect with nature and learn from experienced Carpenter naturalists. The center will house a classroom, meeting spaces, restrooms, and a coffee and reading nook where visitors can experience nature from the comfort of a chair, with a warm beverage in hand. The trail system will be improved by adding ADA-accessible pathways and installing interpretation stations and council rings as places for coming together and learning.

Residents of the Town of Troy have contributed enthusiasm, ideas, energy and expertise. The Interpretive Center plans were developed for and by this community. Completing this project will allow Carpenter to bring its experience and knowledge to both sides of the St. Croix River, offering the community more access to their native landscape. In a sense, it will anchor the lower river with land stewardship and education. If you would like to make a donation to this important project, or just learn more, contact Carpenter Nature Center at (651) 437-4359. They would love to share more information with you.

The Carpenter Nature Center Wisconsin Campus is located at 300 East Cove Road, Hudson, Wisconsin.

Parks and Recreation

Cove Boat Ramp

Located at 306A Cove Road.

Hours of Operation: 6:00 AM to 9:30 PM daily.

Permit Fees: Residents of Troy, \$6.00 Daily; \$50.00 Annual.

Non Town of Troy residents: \$8.00 Daily; \$80.00 Annual.

Annual stickers for use of Cove Boat Ramp can be purchased at the Troy Town Hall and the Town Recycling Center during regular business hours or by mail. Permits are required year-round.

Glover Park

Located at 428 Glover Road.

Hours of Operation: 8:00 AM to 1/2 hour after sunset daily.

Activities include playground, pavilions, ball fields, native prairie garden, pollinator garden and a 2.5-mile trail system with shelters and benches. Contact the Town Clerk's office to reserve a pavilion and/or other facilities; deposit and fee required.

Pemble's Access

Located at 193 Glenmont Road. Parking is limited. No daily fee.

Hours of Operation: Memorial Day through Labor Day, Pemble's Access is open daily from 10 AM to 1/2 hour after sunset. Before Memorial Day in May, and after Labor Day in September, Pemble's Access is open Saturdays and Sundays, from 11 AM to 1/2 hour after sunset. Facilities include a portable restroom.

Tire & Appliance Collection

Troy is proud to once again host in 2020, one of *St. Croix County's Tire and Appliance Collections*. Troy is hosting on **Saturday, September 19th**. The collection will take place from **8:00 AM until 1:00 PM** and be held at the town's Recycling Center located at 227 Townsvalley Road. For more information on the event contact Kris Poston at 715-531-1907, Recycling Specialist for St. Croix Country.

Road & Recycle Center News

Roads Update:

In 2020, the town road crew will continue to do maintenance and repairs on several miles of roads in the Town. If anyone has a road issue or concern that they would like the Town to consider, please feel free to contact us at Town Shop, 715-425-6694.

In Recycling Center News Just a note to drive slow and be patient and respectful to each other as it can become quite busy at times. The hours of operation are Tuesdays and Thursdays from 1 – 6 PM and Saturdays from 8 AM -12:30 PM. Phone:715-425-6586

Stay Informed: Subscribe to the Town of Troy Updates

Residents and landowners are encouraged to sign up for updates from the Town. To do so, look for the “Stay Informed” section at the bottom of the homepage https://townoftroy.org/

The board is considering whether or not to continue publishing a newsletter, so sign up now to “Stay Informed”.

This is the official publication of the Town of Troy. Comments about this newsletter or suggestions may be directed to your elected Town Officials:

Town Board:

- Dan Pearson (Chair) – 715-425-9488
Jan Cuccia – 715-425-1457
Jason Kjos – 715-426-5095
Lowell Enerson – 507-276-4521
Cliff Jennings – 715-222-5769

Free Nitrate Clinic

June 15, 2 - 6 PM

Troy Town Hall

Private well owners are encouraged to take advantage of this free drinking water screening clinic offered by St. Croix County. The free nitrate screening clinic will be held on Monday June 15 from 2 – 6 PM, at the Troy Town Hall located at 654 Glover Road, Hudson, Wisconsin.

Participants are asked to bring around 8 ounces of water in a closed container, preferably glass, the water sample should be less than 24 hours old. It is important to run cold water 10 to 15 minutes prior to collecting the sample. Keep the sample water cold and out of direct sunlight.

The results will be provided within minutes and staff will help interpret the results. Find more information about the event and how to sample your water at the St. Croix County website or reach out to Cole Webster at 715-381-4933.

The United Fund – Town of Troy, Inc.’s Annual Meeting will be held Tuesday, April 21st at 6:30 PM at the Troy Town Hall.

The United Fund was established for the purpose of supporting local agencies and charitable organizations. For more information call Phyllis Albert at 651-303-8640 or Gene Tschumperlin at 715-386-3983.

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