

YOUR CITY OFFICIALS

Mayor

Gary Deiter, 756-2343

Alderspersons-At-Large

Betty Nies, 756-3952
Carrie Wenzel, 756-3008
Mel Edinger, 756-3506
Joe Levash, 418-3840
Wally Sonnabend, 756-2779
Tim Hanson, 418-5688
Vicki Shafran, 419-7177

Municipal Court

Jean Van Frachen,
Municipal Court Judge
Joy Buboltz,
Municipal Court Clerk

CITY STAFF

City Hall756-2250

Lori Gosz, City Admin/Clerk-
Treasurer
Joy Buboltz,
Deputy Clerk-Treasurer
Kristi Strenn, Administrative
Assistant

Police756-2221

JoAnn Mignon, Police Chief

DPW756-2911

Andrew Geiger, Dir. of Public
Works

Library756-3215

Christine Moede, Director

Park & Rec.....756-3216

Ann Marx, Recreation Director

Fire Dept.....756-2424

Joe Diener, Fire Chief

Building Inspection. 756-2250

Mike Angoli, Building Inspector

**City Council Mission
Statement:**

*Brillion...dedicated to being a
great place to Live, Work,
Learn, and Play - Together*

Council Meetings

If you are interested in
attending a City Council
meeting, please don't hesitate
to do so! All meetings are
open to the public. They are
held the fourth Monday of
month at 6:30 pm at the Brillion
Community Center.

2018 Spring Election – April 3, 2018:

The 2018 Spring Election will be held on Tuesday, April 3, 2018 for Supreme Court Justice, Court of Appeals Judge, Districts I and IV, and Circuit Court Judge, Municipal Offices, and School District Offices.

The following municipal officers for the City of Brillion are to be elected to succeed the present incumbents listed. The term of Alderperson At-Large begins on Tuesday, April 17, 2018 and is a three (3) year term unless otherwise indicated.

Mayor:	Incumbent – Gary Deiter
Alderperson At-Large:	Incumbent – Betty Nies
Alderperson At-Large:	Incumbent – Wally Sonnabend

From the Brillion Police Department

We would like to remind all of you that should you find yourself in need, the Brillion Police Department does offer safe rides.

Snow is here for the season. A reminder that overnight parking is restricted for the snow season. If you need overnight parking for special circumstances, please call the department at 920 756-2221. If Calumet County dispatch answers they will have a Brillion Officer contact you directly. You must call every time for overnight parking during the snow season parking rules.

Check the City of Brillion web site for (ordinance) snow clearance requirements for sidewalks. Please give yourself more time to get to your destination, as slippery road conditions will be more prevalent. Allow for more distance between you and the vehicles in front of you.

Let us all make to our destinations safely!



Dog and Cat Licenses Due April 1st

All City of Brillion residents owning a cat or dog that is older than 6 months is required by City Ordinance to purchase a license. License for 2018 can be purchased at the City Clerk's office between Dec. 15, 2017 and April 1, 2018.

License fees:

\$3.00 spayed or neutered

\$8.00 non-spayed or non-neutered

A \$5.00 penalty will be imposed after April 1, 2018.



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2018 Recycling Schedule

West of Main Street

January 4, 17, 31

February 14, 28

March 14, 28

April 11, 25

May 9, 23

East of Main Street

January 10, 24

February 7, 21

March 7, 21

April 4, 18

May 2, 16, 31

Copies of the recycling schedule are available at Brillion City Hall or on the City's website: www.ci.brillion.wi.us

City Hall Hours

Monday – Thursday

8:00 am – 4:30 pm

Friday 8:00 am – 3:00 pm

Recycling DOs and DON'Ts

Paper

Accept:

- Milk, Juice & Soup Cartons
- Cardboard & Paperboard (cereal box)
- Newspaper & inserts, Junk Mail & Office Paper
- Phone Books, Books, Magazines & Catalogs
- Shredded paper (put in brown paper bag & staple shut)

Do NOT accept:

- No Tissue
- No paper contaminated by food or grease

Guidelines: flatten and cut cardboard to no larger than 2'x2'

Plastic

Accept: All plastic bottles and containers:

- Soda, Water, & Other Drink Bottles
- Food & Household Bottles, Jars and Jugs
- Dairy Containers & Lids
- Produce Bakery & Deli Containers

Do NOT accept:

- No Plastic Bags, Wrap, or Film
- No Motor Oil Bottles, No Styrofoam

Guidelines: remove all screw caps and discard, rinse bottles and jugs

Aluminum & Steel

Accept:

- Aluminum Cans and Bottles
- Steel, Tin, and Bi-metal cans, Metal Lids
- Empty Aerosol Cans

Do NOT accept:

- Aluminum Pans or Foil, Empty Paint Cans

Guidelines: rinse cans and bottles, no need to remove labels

Glass

Accept:

- Food and Beverage Bottles and Jars

Do NOT accept:

- No Windows, Ceramics or China

Guidelines: rinse bottles and jars, metal caps and lids should be recycled, discard plastic caps and lids.

Garbage and recycling cans should not be placed on the street. They should be placed by the curb Tuesday nights.

Parking Reminder:

Parking is prohibited between the hours of 1am – 6am on any city street from November 15th – April 1st



As a courtesy we ask people to keep parked vehicles off the street during the day, if possible, when it is snowing and the plow crews are out trying to clear the roadways. This enables us to do a neat job the first time around. We appreciate your assistance and cooperation!!

2018 Garbage & Recycling Fees

The annual Garbage and Recycling User Fees for the City of Brillion residents will be applied to your 2017 Property Tax bills which are payable in 2018. This amount will be added to the first installment of the property tax bill and will be due by January 31, 2018. The 2018 user fees are:

45 gallon = \$125

65 gallon = \$130

95 gallon = \$138

If you would like to change the size of your barrel, please contact City Hall at 756-2250.

**Brillion Public Library
Mission Statement:**

"The Brillion Public Library strives to improve the community life by providing free and equal access to information, ideas, and knowledge through books, programs, and other resources, and by preserving the local history."

**BRILLION PUBLIC LIBRARY
"BOOKS n' MORE"**

326 MAIN ST.
BRILLION WI 54110

PHONE
920-756-3215

FAX
920-756-3874

E-MAIL
brref@mcls.lib.wi.us

WEB:
<http://ci.brillion.wi.us/departments/library>

LIBRARYHOURS:

Labor Day-June 1
Mondays 8-8
Tuesdays 9-8
Wed. & Thurs. 12-8
Fridays 12-6
Saturdays 9-12

June 1-Labor Day
Mondays 8-8
Tues. & Wed. 9-8 pm
Thursdays 12-8
Fridays 12-6
Saturdays Closed

*Check for special holiday hours!

Hazardous Waste Disposal:

Dates, times, and locations for hazardous waste drop off programs being held throughout Calumet County:

The city of Brillion is targeting September 2018 for a hazardous waste collection at the DPW garage. Stay tuned for updates.

Appointments are REQUIRED
To make an appointment or for more information go to www.calumetrecycles.com.



Volunteers wanted

The Brillion Library is looking for some literacy tutors to work with individuals learning the language. We are looking for volunteers to learn and work with our robots and coding club. We are also looking for individuals to work with our Silhouette Cameo. If you are interested in being a volunteer, contact the library at 920-756-3215.

Genealogy to feature Dave Miller

Genealogy on Wednesday, March 7th will feature Dave Miller from Channel 5 Green Bay. Dave will be talking about proving family stories. Dave is a versatile genealogist in addition to being a TV weatherman. He has a background in Irish genealogy research. He has presented many sessions for genealogists. Mark your calendars and plan on seeing Dave at 1:30 pm. Program is free and open to all genealogists. Come join us!

Ebooks, emagazines and downloadable audio

Do you know that your Brillion Library card allows you to check out and download free audiobooks, ebooks and magazines. Access the Brillion website and start checking out materials to your devices. Contact the library if you need additional help.

Storytime

Storytime to feature "Let's Pretend" All youth preschool through Kindergarten are invited to participate in the next Storytime Session at the Brillion Public Library. Let's Pretend will be our theme and the first session each month will feature free play. We will also have "Read the Book, be the book" monthly programs on Tuesdays. Storytime sessions are held on Monday evenings at 6:30 and Tuesday mornings at 9:30.

Coding Club

The Brillion Library will be holding a Coding Club on the 3rd Tuesday of the month from 3:30-5pm. The club is open to youth entering 2nd grade and older. Come learn more about coding. Try your hand at programming robots and more.


Fire Department Updates – from Fire Chief Joe Diener

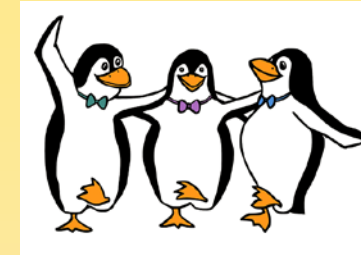
As I am sitting at my desk writing this article, I can't believe it is already winter, and with that I can say this past year has come and gone in the blink of an eye. As we prepare for the upcoming winter activities I encourage everyone to think Safety First when heading out whether it is traveling to visit loved ones, snowmobiling, ice fishing, or any of the other many winter activities that are enjoyed. Taking a few extra minutes while traveling, checking to be sure ice conditions are safe for use, and obeying posted speed limits can make the difference between an enjoyable trip and one that could end in a tragedy. Recently, I received something that came across my desk that I wanted to share with all of you. It is in regards to a recall on 40 million fire extinguishers made by Kidde, there are more than 130 different models which have been recalled due to not functioning properly when needed. These extinguishers are a push button, and plastic handle type that were manufactured from 1973 through August of 2017. These extinguishers were typically purchased from Menards, Montgomery Ward, Sears, Home Depot, Walmart, or various other home and hardware stores. These recalled extinguishers are red, white, or silver and are either ABC, or BC rated. They were also sold for use in Commercial trucks, recreational vehicles as well as boats. If you believe you have one of these extinguishers you are encouraged to contact Kidde Corporation (855)271-0773. Be sure to mark your calendars that the Brillion Fire Department Annual Brat Fry will once again be in February. We will be serving all the regular favorites from brats, burgers, baked beans, potato salads, and of course homemade desserts starting at 9:00 am on the morning of Sunday February 4th 2018 at the Brillion Fire Station, located at 130 Calumet St. City of Brillion. I am looking forward to seeing everyone there. One final reminder, as the winter snows begin, please help out your fire department and if you have a fire hydrant in your yard you keep the snow removed around it. This will only help the fire department if it is needed to not only locate, but access it as well. If anyone is interested in joining the Brillion Fire Department we are currently accepting applications, or if you have questions about the fire department please feel free to contact myself either at (920)756-2424, or email at: fd@ci.brillion.wi.us and I will be happy to sit down and explain what it takes and what is expected to be a Brillion Fire Fighter, or answer any other questions you may have regarding the Brillion Fire Department.

BRILLION COMMUNITY CENTER NEWS:

Program Registration Information:

Lake to Lake Recreational Soccer League

Grades: 1st—12th 
Dates and time vary with practice and games from March -June 2017
Fees: \$50.00 Residents \$60.00 Non-Residents
Registration Deadline: February 23, 2018



Baseball



Practice times to be determined May through July. Gamedates and times will be determined by the League schedule. Please register your child for the grade they are currently in.
Rookie Ball Grades 1 & 2
(Now a Traveling League with pitching machine)
Traveling League Grades 3 & 4
Little League Grades 5 & 6
Pony League Grades 7 & 8
Residents \$50.00/ Non-Residents \$60.00
Registration Deadline: February 27, 2018

The Brillion Community Center
Family Winter Wonderland Dance
Saturday
January 27, 2018
6:30-9:30pm
Carstens Mill
114 W Water St
Brillion, WI 54110
Tickets \$5.00
available at the BCC

Brillion Community Center
120 Center St.
Brillion, WI 54110
Phone: 920-756-3216
Register online at activityreg.com

Girls Softball



Mid May through July. Game dates & times will be determined by the League schedule.
Senior Girls (may not be 19 before June 1st of current year)
Junior Girls (may not be 15 before June 1st of current year)
Modified Grade School (7 years-may not be 12 before June 1st)
Players need to attend school in Brillion to play on the Brillion team.
Residents \$25.00/ Non-Residents \$35.00

Water Rate Increase

The Public Service Commission has approved a 14.03% Water Rate increase. The increase in water rates will go into effect March 1st, 2018

BCC NEW Winter Building Hours
****Starting January 2, 2018****

Monday 5:30am-8:00pm
Tuesday 9:00am-8:00pm
Wednesday 5:30am-8:00pm
Thursday 9:00am-8:00pm
Friday 5:30am-1:00pm
Saturday 8:00am-3:00pm
Family Time 5:00pm-7:00pm
Sunday 12:30pm-3:00pm

SNOW REMOVAL POLICY

Per City Code, any person failing to remove either snow or ice from the sidewalk within 24 hours after a snowfall or sleet storm shall be subject to forfeiture, and the city shall have such sidewalk cleared of snow or ice and the expense thereof levied as a special tax against the property, collected as are other taxes. The expense of such snow and ice removal shall be charged at a rate of \$120.00 per hour plus administrative fees with a minimum charge for 1 hour.

- * Please shovel your sidewalks within 24 hours after a snowfall.
- * Please DO NOT blow or shovel snow back into or across the street
- * Please do not pile snow on the sidewalk terrace if your property is in the Downtown District.
- * Please keep your sidewalks & sidewalk ramps free of ice & snow.
- * Please remove vehicles from the street when the snowplows are in operation.
- * Please remove snow from around fire hydrants near your home.