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**Barnesville
Municipal Power**

Pancake Breakfast

Saturday, Nov. 18

8:00-11:00 am

**Municipal Power Shop
205 Front St. North**

FREE



Barnesville residents can register to win 1 of 5 - \$125 Credit on their Electric Bill!

Present this coupon for

10% off



FIREHALL LIQUORS

721 Front Street North
Open 7 days a week!
Monday-Thursday 10 am - 9 pm
Friday-Saturday 10 am - 10 pm
Sunday 11 am - 4 pm

**Your Entire
Regular Priced
Wine Purchase**

COUPON EXPIRES
November 30, 2023



Like us on Facebook for updates
on new products & sales!

City Hall Closed Nov. 10, 23-24

City Hall will be closed on **Friday, Nov. 10** in observance of Veteran's Day and **Thursday, Nov. 23 and Friday, Nov. 24** in observance of Thanksgiving.

Happy Thanksgiving!

Winter Parking Restrictions

Barnesville winter parking restrictions state that after a snowfall of two inches or more, vehicles parked on any city street, that is not otherwise posted, must be removed prior to 8 am on the day following the day that the street is first plowed.

Vehicles may not be returned until after such street has been widened to its full width.



Please remember to place your garbage totes on **your driveway**, not on the street so they are not in the way of the plows!

Preferred Cable TV Price Increase

Due to the increased programming costs, Preferred Cable TV customers will see a \$6 increase on the bill they receive in November.

BARNESVILLE CITY COUNCIL
Regular Meeting • September 11, 2023

Regular City Council Meetings are held the second Monday of every month beginning at 7:00 pm in the City Council Chambers located at the rear of City Hall. The public are welcome. The agenda is posted on the City's website and Facebook page.

These are summaries of the minutes. The complete minutes are available online at www.barnesvillemn.com or at City Hall.

Mayor Rick called this regular meeting to order at 7:00 p.m. Member's present were Council members Tonya Stokka, Don Goedke, Dawn Stuvland, Scott Bauer, Alyssa Bergman and Brad Field.

09-11-23-01 Motion Stokka, second Stuvland to approve the agenda as presented, with the revised change to Change Order 8-30, and adding discussion of a priority session meeting at the October 9, 2023, meeting. Motion carried.

09-11-23-02 Motion Stokka, second Stuvland to approve the consent agenda, Motion carried.

09-11-23-03 Motion Field, second Bauer to approve the 2024 preliminary levy resolution. Voted aye: Stokka, Goedtke, Stuvland, Bauer, Bergman and Field. Voted nay: None. Motion carried.

09-11-23-04 Motion Stuvland, second Bergman to approve the 2024 preliminary 2024 Budget. Voted aye: Stokka, Goedtke, Stuvland, Bauer, Bergman and Field. Voted nay: None. Motion carried.

09-11-23-05 Motion Bergman, second Stokka to approve the Conditional Use Permit for an LED sign at 202 Front Street, Lot 13 and 14, Block 34, Barnesville Original Townsite. Motion carried.

09-11-23-06 Motion Stuvland, second Stokka to approve the permanent access easement at 105 Front Street North, Great Northern Addition, Blk 3, Lots 1 and 2. Motion carried.

09-11-23-07 Motion Stokka, second Stuvland to approve the resolution declaring the cost to be assessed and ordering preparation of proposed assessment for the Hwy 9/Front Street reconstruction. Voted aye: Stokka, Goedtke, Stuvland, Bauer, Bergman and Field. Voted nay: none. Motion carried.

09-11-23-08 Motion Bauer, second Bergman to approve the 1st reading of Ordinance 2023-09 regarding commercial and industrial fences. Motion carried.

09-11-23-09 Motion Bergman, second Stuvland to close the meeting at 7:32 p.m. Motion carried.


09-11-23-10 Motion Stokka, second Goedtke to adjourn the meeting at 7:45 p.m. Motion carried.

BARNESVILLE CITY COUNCIL
Special Meeting • September 21, 2023

Mayor Rick called this special meeting to order at 3:03 p.m. via zoom. Members present were Council members Tonya Stokka, Dawn Stuvland, Scott Bauer, and Brad Field. Absent were Council members Alyssa Bergman and Don Goedtke.

09-21-23-01 Motion by Mrs. Stokka and second by Mrs. Stuvland to reject the offer from E-ACAM. Mayor Rick took a roll call vote, the following voted aye: Council member Stokka, Stuvland and Field. The following were absent: Council members Goedtke, Bergman and Bauer. Motion failed due to lack of quorum.

Mayor Rick adjourned the meeting at 3:26 p.m.



CITY OF BARNESVILLE
WATER HARDNESS
READING
October 18, 2023

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Reminder - With the holidays around the corner
- unless it's toilet paper it shouldn't be flushed!

Caller ID "SPOOFING" Notice

Caller ID service is very susceptible to fraud known as Caller ID "spoofing". The term Caller ID Spoofing refers to a practice whereby the calling party uses commonly available technology to falsify the number of the telephone line from which the call is made, the name of the calling party, or both as they appear on the called party's Caller ID screen. This practice has the potential for fraud and harm to the called party.

To protect yourself, do not take what the Caller ID screen displays for granted. If what the caller is saying does not seem legitimate, do not divulge personal information until you can verify the source, by hanging up and calling them back on a verified number (from a mailed statement or printed directory).

If you would like more information on spoofing, visit www.fcc.gov, search "spoofing".

Secure your Wireless Internet!

If you're using your router to create a wireless connection within your home, be sure that you have a secure connection requiring a password. With the popularity of iPads we're seeing more people sitting in parked cars and tapping into unsecured wireless connections. Your unique IP address could be attached to all sorts of activity and websites. Not sure if your in-home wireless connection is secure? Call the Internet Help Desk at 354-2222 - 24/7/365 and they would be happy to help!

TAKE JACK BACK
PUMPKIN COMPOSTING
November 1st-14th



Did you know? Pumpkins CAN NOT go into yard waste piles.

Pumpkins will now be reused for compost on a local farm!

Barnesville
Recycling Center

Prep Bowl on Barnesville CableTV

The Minnesota Prep Bowls games will be on Antennae TV on November 24-25. This is Channel 110 for Barnesville Cable TV customers.