



HAVEN TOWNSHIP CLERK  
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# HAVEN TOWNSHIP NEWS

## HAVEN DIRECTORY

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|--------------------------|----------------------------|----------------------|
| <b>Chairperson:</b>      | <b>Jeff Schlingmann</b>    | <b>224-2041</b>      |
| <b>Vice Chairperson:</b> | <b>Mark Knowles</b>        | <b>(612)685-4394</b> |
| <b>Supervisor:</b>       | <b>Kathi Sims-Kosloski</b> | <b>252-2415</b>      |
| <b>Supervisor:</b>       | <b>Randy Linn</b>          | <b>202-7730</b>      |
| <b>Supervisor:</b>       | <b>Mike Pesch</b>          | <b>333-2131</b>      |
| <b>Clerk/Treasurer:</b>  | <b>Mike Zniewski</b>       | <b>248-5866</b>      |
| <b>Deputy Clerk:</b>     | <b>Tammy Schefers</b>      | <b>255-1924</b>      |

Haven Township  
 Where City & Country Meet

### Citizen-Tribune

Is the official Township Newspaper. Please watch for Township Postings. Papers are available at the Haven Township Hall outside in the mailbox.

### Monthly Meetings

The monthly meetings are held at the Haven Township Hall on the 3rd Monday of the month at 7:00 p.m. January & February are the 4th Monday, due to the holidays. Any person wishing to be placed on the agenda should contact the clerk.

### Gopher Bounty

Gopher Bounty for 2016 will be \$2.00 per pair (front feet). If you have any gophers you need to be paid for, please bring them to a monthly meeting at 6:45 p.m. We will get your name and address and mail you out a check.

Questions? Contact the Clerk.



## Supervisor Committee Assignments

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| <b>Chairperson:</b>                               | <b>Jeff Schlingmann</b>                     |
| <b>Vice Chairperson:</b>                          | <b>Mark Knowles</b>                         |
| <b>Road &amp; Bridge:</b>                         | <b>Mark Knowles</b>                         |
| <b>Sherburne County Township Association:</b>     | <b>Mike Pesch / Jeff Schlingmann</b>        |
| <b>Sherburne County Soil &amp; Water:</b>         | <b>Mark Knowles</b>                         |
| <b>Wild &amp; Scenic River:</b>                   | <b>Mike Pesch/Jane Korte (citizen rep.)</b> |
| <b>St. Cloud Airport Advisory Board:</b>          | <b>Kathi Sims-Kosloski / Mike Pesch</b>     |
| <b>Sauk Rapids Fire Department Meetings:</b>      | <b>Kathi Sims-Kosloski / Randy Linn</b>     |
| <b>Sherburne County Planning Commission:</b>      | <b>Jeff Schlingmann / Mike Pesch</b>        |
| <b>Haven Township Clean-Up Day:</b>               | <b>Kathi Sims-Kosloski</b>                  |
| <b>Safety Director:</b>                           | <b>Kathi Sims-Kosloski</b>                  |
| <b>Haven Township Zoning Board of Adjustment:</b> | <b>Board of Supervisors</b>                 |
| <b>Haven Township Planning Commission:</b>        | <b>Board of Supervisors</b>                 |
| <b>Haven Township Animal Control Warden:</b>      | <b>Board of Supervisors</b>                 |

Greetings Citizens of Haven Township: Please notify a Supervisor as quickly as possible if you witness any utility work in the ditches of a Township Road. Haven Township requires a work permit and prior notification of property owners **before** any digging or installation is allowed. If they state that they have contacted the County for a permit that is not sufficient. They must come to the Haven Board first for a permit. Thank-You for your help.



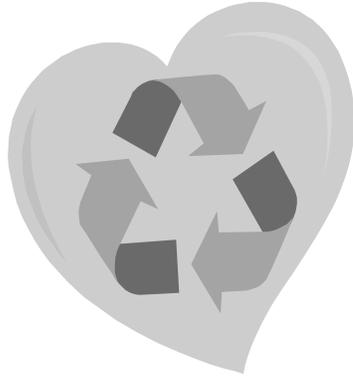
Need a new mailbox post? Purchase a Snowplow Proof, Break-way Pole for your mailbox. They are \$150.00 installed. Contact the Clerk's Office if interested.



### Township Dogs & Domestic Animals

This is a friendly reminder that although you live in a rural area, Haven Township does have a dog and domestic animal ordinance. The ordinance expressly prohibits dogs from running at large and barking uncontrolled. If you would like a copy of the ordinance please check out the link on the Haven Townships website @ [www.haventwp.org](http://www.haventwp.org).

"One Thing You Can Give and Still Keep is Your Word"



Open your arms to change, but don't let go of your values.



Help Keep the Township Ditches Clean! Please put trash in its proper spots.



Thank-You to all the Haven Residents who attended the Annual Meeting and regular meetings.

Thank-You for caring about Haven Township!

# CLEAN-UP DAY

**Saturday, May 14, 2016 Time: 8 a.m. -12:00 p.m.**

**\*\*Please Do Not Drop Off Items Prior\*\***

Collection Site: Haven Township Hall  
4230 45th Avenue SE  
St. Cloud, MN 56304

## ACCEPTABLE ITEMS

**Tires: Car / Light Truck:** 4 Free—Additional \$3.00 each—\$5.00 each on rims

**Tractor / Large Truck:** 1 Free—Additional \$10.00

**No Large Tires on Rims or X-tra Large Tires**

**Fiberglass Items:** \$10.00 each

**Large Appliances: Ranges, Refrigerators, Washer/Dryers, Water Heaters, Air Conditioners, Microwaves, Etc... (Must have them cleaned out):**

1 Free—Additional \$15.00 each

**Electronics: Televisions, Computer, Computer Monitors, Computer Towers, Computer Mouse & Keyboards, Computer Printers, Audio & Video Equipment, telephones, Answering Machines, Cellular Phones, Cordless Rechargeable Equipment, Small appliances that plug in such as hand mixers, can openers or anything with a circuit board in it that is an Electronic:**

1 Free—Additional \$10.00 each

**Furniture & Carpet: Box Spring, Sofas, Chairs, Mattresses**

1 Free—Additional \$10.00 each

**Free: Car Batteries Grills Wagons, Etc...**

**Scrap Metal: Please separate metal from other materials**

**Mowers & Tillers: Must be drained of ALL Fluids and Fuel \$10.00 charge if not**

**Battery Recycling:** Household batteries can now be recycled in Sherburne County.

The drop off site in Haven Township is : Central Appliance Recyclers  
3107 Hwy 10 SE (behind UPS)

## NOT ACCEPTABLE

Household Garbage  
Hazardous Wastes

Building Materials  
Paints / Chemicals

Gas Refrigerators  
Solvents

Call Solid Waste Office at 1-800-438-0578 for the above items.

**No Concrete / No General Garbage / No Propane Tanks**

**No RV / Gas Refrigerators: Contact Sherburne County Zoning**

**Additional Charges may be imposed for items not listed**

**Nursery Plastic Recycling** Sherburne County Master Gardeners will accept nursery plastic for recycling at our Township Clean-Up Day. They can only accept the plastic pots, trays and baskets. Dirt, rocks, and metal must be removed from these items. They cannot accept household plastics or the small 4-6-8 packs.. Thank-You.

## Yellow Bike Project

St. Cloud State University would like to have your ADULT sized two wheel bikes for their campus Yellow Bike Project. The Yellow Bikes are placed throughout the SCSU campus for students to use to get from one location to another without needing to own a bike of their own. The continued success of this project depends on contributions / donations from those who have bikes they no longer want or use. Please bring your unwanted (regardless of the condition) bikes to the Haven Township clean-up day and we will make sure that they reach the SCSU team to be refurbished and painted for our SCSU students to enjoy. If you have any questions, please feel free to call Kathi Sims-Kosloski at 252-2415.

Thank-You for your Help!

## DON'T FORGET TO VOTE!

**Americans will elect another President of the United States!**

**The United States Presidential Election of 2016 is scheduled for:**

**Tuesday, November 8, 2016 at the Haven Township Hall**

**from 7:00 a.m.—8:00 p.m.**

**Also**

**There will be 2 Haven Township Supervisor Positions open at this time**

**(4 Year Terms)**

**Filing Date for these 2 Positions are:**

**August 2, 2016—August 16, 2016**

**If you are interested in running for a Supervisor Position**

**Please contact Clerk, Mike Zniewski 248-5866 to register.**

**The time and date will be posted on our website: [www.haventwp.org](http://www.haventwp.org)**

**Did You Know?** In 1972, a law was passed allowing each of the states to conduct presidential elections at any point in the 34 days before the first Wednesday in December. This was the date when the meetings of the Electors of the U.S. president and vice-president, known as the Electoral Colleges, were held in each state. A date in November or early December was preferable because the harvest would have been finished, but the most severe winter storms would not have begun.

## Make the Water Connection

Haven Township became a member of the Central Minnesota Water Education Alliance (CMWEA)

This is a coalition of Central MN cities, counties and other organizations that provides educational outreach to promote water quality stewardship. If you want to learn more or be apart of this,

please check out the website @ [www.mnwaterconnection.com](http://www.mnwaterconnection.com)

## Township Burning

All open burning requires a burning permit. The permits are free. The permits are issued for burning after 6 p.m. and all fires must be out by 8 a.m. the following morning. Also, please contact **Sherburne County at (1-800-433-5245)** to let them know about your plans to burn. This will prevent the Fire Department from coming out if you neighbor reports seeing smoke! If your fire gets out of control without a permit, the charge for the fire call will become the property owners responsibility.

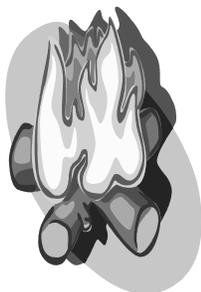
**Fire Wardens for Haven Township Are:**

**Brian & Mary Preusser:**

**240-1551**

**Afternoons / Weekends**

If you would like more information check-out the DNR website at <http://www.dnr.state.mn.us/firewise>



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**Like to Read? Check-Out...**



**Stickney Crossing Library** ([www.griver.org](http://www.griver.org) or call 558-6001)

822 Clearwater Center, Clearwater, MN (Clearwater Shopping Center)

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| <b>Hours:</b> Sunday / Monday: Closed | Tuesday: 10 a.m.—1 p.m. & 3:00—6:00 p.m. |
| Wednesday: 3:00 p.m.—8:00 p.m.        | Thursday: 10:00 a.m.—1:00 p.m.           |
| Friday: 3:00 p.m.—6:00 p.m.           | Saturday: 10:00 a.m.—1:00 p.m.           |

### **Protect Your Privilege to Ride!**

ATV's are powerful motorized vehicles. Be sure that you know the rules and regulations for their use.

1. You may not drive an ATV within the right-of-way (ditch) of a state, county or township road from April 1st to August 1st in agricultural or residential zones.
2. Numbers and decals must be displayed, so they are easily visible.
3. You may not operate an off-highway vehicle in a careless, reckless, or negligent manner that endangers the rider, another person or property.
4. You may not enter or leave lands by cutting wire or tearing down a fence.

**Specific Class 1ATV:** under age 10 years old, on private property, with parent permission in eye sight. Age 10-11 year olds, permission from parent, wear an approved helmet, may operate up to 90cc. Age 12-17 year olds, must have ATV safety certificate, must be able to operate vehicle with good control, use a helmet, have permission from parent.

**Specific Class 2ATV:** 15 years or older to operate, have ATV safety certificate, wear a helmet, have a valid drivers permit or license, have permission and as stated before, must have valid drivers license to cross a road right-of-way.

**Passengers**—a person under 18 may carry 1 passenger only if it is their parent or legal guardian. Over the age of 18 years may carry the number of passengers the ATV is designed for.

This is a brief overview. For greater details please go to [www.dnr.state.mn.us](http://www.dnr.state.mn.us).



**Let's Keep our Township Happy & Safe!**