

TOWN OF AURORA

Aurora Town Hall, W2319 State Highway 21, Berlin, WI 54923

2018 TAX LEVY REQUESTS

BERLIN SCHOOLS	817,877.24
WAUSHARA COUNTY	654,715.59
MORAINÉ PARK TECH	61,870.68
TOWN OF AURORA	159,189.00
STATE OF WISCONSIN	0.00
OMRO SCHOOLS	578.55
FOX VALLEY TECH	73.85
TOTAL LEVY	\$1,694,304.91

The total levy for properties in the Berlin School District breaks down as follows:

Berlin Schools	48%
Waushara County	39%
Town of Aurora	9%
Moraine Park Tech College	3.7%

The town levy portion increase was limited to new construction growth of .922%.

TOWN OFFICERS

- Chairman:** C. J. Young
N984 32nd Ave., Berlin
(920) 361-1703
- Supervisor:** Andy Przybyl
N1190 County Road XX, Berlin
(920) 979-7608
- Supervisor:** Jeff Toll
N105 State Road 49, Berlin
(920) 361-9075
- Clerk:** Katie Reinbold
W1417 Cumberland Ave., Berlin
(920) 361-0188
- Treasurer:** Cara Ondra
N2341 State Road 49, Berlin
(920) 410-2675

Regular Board Meetings are held on the Second Thursday of the month at 7:00 p.m.

TOWN HALL RENTALS

The town hall is available to town residents for your special event. It is a perfect fit for large family parties, wedding or baby showers and small meetings. It will accommodate fifty people and has a nice kitchen for your use. Rental is \$50 per day. Contact Katie Reinbold

RECYCLING CENTER HOURS

Wednesdays 12pm-4pm
Saturdays 10am-4pm

The site is available for use by all town taxpayers and residents. It is paid for by your tax dollars

Elections

By: Katie Reinbold, Clerk

Even numbered years bring lots of elections. This spring we will be electing our County Supervisors, State Supreme Court Justice, and Court of Appeals Judge. In fall we will be voting for Governor, Secretary of State, State Treasurer, Attorney General, U.S. Senator, U.S. Representatives, Wisconsin State Senate seats, Wisconsin Assembly seats, county constitutional officers (sheriff, clerk of circuit court, coroner). In the weeks just prior to any given election, you can see a sample of your ballot at <https://myvote.wi.gov/>.

2018 Election dates: *February 20, 2018 Spring Primary
*April 3, 2018 Spring Election

*August 14, 2018 Fall Primary
*November 6, 2018 Fall Election

Road Report

This year with a road budget of 160,000.00, the town was able to pulverize $\frac{3}{4}$ of a mile and lay new black top on a portion of 37th Avenue and Cumberland Avenue. The cost was \$125,000.00 and out of that \$125,000.00, we were able to receive \$22,000.00 from the state TRIP program which helps with new construction of town roads. We also seal coated 34th Drive, 35th Avenue and a portion of 36th Road. The town had two culverts fail that needed replacing, one on Cumberland Avenue and one on 34th Avenue. The town also replaced a culvert on Sunset Lane in anticipation of a future road project. The town also took a more aggressive approach towards brush and trees growing in the road right of way, with sporadically cutting throughout the town. On top of it all, that includes your road side mowing, snowplowing, and filling pot holes. I realize our roads are by no means perfect, but we as a board try to do our best to keep your roads in the best shape financially possible.

Chairman's Report

As I write my first chairman's report, I want to thank you for the opportunity to serve you as chairman. Prior to being elected to the chairman position I served 10 years as one of the town supervisors. With the new position came new faces; we have three new members on the town board who are all doing a great job.

The town has a few things coming up in the next year that you should be aware of. First of all, the town's assessment ratio has gotten to the point where we will be doing a full reassessment of the township in order to stay in compliance with the state mandates. Second, this past spring, the Waushara County ATV Association came in front of many town boards throughout the county asking for the approval of an ordinance to allow town roads to be used as a route to ride ATVs from point A to point B. The town approved a small portion of the town road to help connect routes from Borth to Eureka. In the next few months I feel we will be talking about this again so please shoot me an email at aurorachairman@gmail.com or come to a meeting and tell us how you feel about this or anything else that is going on in the town. Lastly, in the next few months, the town should have a webpage that you can go to, www.townaurora.com. We are hoping this will help us keep you better informed on what is going on the township.

C.J. Young
Chairman