

# 2024 City of Weyauwega

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## 2024 REMAINING ELECTIONS

- August 13, 2024 – Primary Election
- November 5, 2024 – General Election

Voting for city residents takes place in the Community Room of the City of Weyauwega Municipal Building at 109 E. Main Street. Polls are open from 7 am to 8 pm.

Photo ID is required to vote. If you do not have a photo ID you may obtain a free ID for voting from the Division of Motor Vehicles. Information on getting a free ID card can be found at [bringit.wi.gov](http://bringit.wi.gov).

If you need to register to vote, you can do it now to save time on Election Day. Go to [myvote.wi.gov](http://myvote.wi.gov) to register online or contact Clerk Rebecca Loehrke at City Hall. You can also find out information on voting by absentee ballot and who's on the ballot for each election at [myvote.wi.gov](http://myvote.wi.gov).



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## PARK SHELTER RENTAL

The City of Weyauwega offers rental opportunities of six shelters in Maasch Community Park located at 411 W High Street. The newest shelter with the attached bathrooms is \$60 a day to rent and the other five shelters are \$50 for the day. All of the shelters have electricity in them. If interested in renting a shelter this summer, contact City Hall at 920-867-2630 for availability.



## HOME POOL SAFETY

As the summer approaches, the City of Weyauwega would like to take the opportunity to remind residents that if you choose to put up any type of pool the liability lies with the property owner. It is important to cover the pool, remove ladders, and protect the area to prevent accidents. Certain pools do require a permit; therefore, please contact City Hall at (920) 867-2630 before installing or erecting any pools.

## DOG & CAT LICENSING

2024 Dog and Cat Licenses are available at City Hall, 109 E. Main Street. **Animal licenses expire each year on December 31st and must be renewed by April 1st to avoid a late fee.**

- Spayed Female and Neutered Male \$5.00
- Unspayed Female and Unneutered Male \$10.00

**Deadline:** A late fee of \$5.00 will be charged if the owner of a dog 5 (five) months of age or over fails to obtain a license prior to April 1st of each year or within 30 days of acquiring ownership of a licensable animal.

Proof of rabies vaccine is required before a license will be issued.

*Dog & Cat License Ordinance  
(Municipal Code Sec.190)*

## GRASS CLIPPINGS AND STORM DRAIN MANAGEMENT

Did you know grass clippings and leaf litter are pollutants? Yard debris, leaves, shrub trimmings, grass clippings, and other tree materials cause significant source of storm water pollution. When lawn waste is blown into the street, it can clog storm drains and cause drainage and flooding issues.

Storm drains are not connected to the treatment plant! There is no way to remove the waste from the water before getting to the streams, rivers and lakes. As the waste breaks down in our local waterways, it adds excess nutrients like nitrogen and phosphorus to the water. This is how the growth of algae and weeds grow.

Suggested mowing practices include leaving the grass clippings in the lawn or compost them. Direct grass clippings away from streets, driveways, sidewalks and other paved areas. Make sure to sweep or blow clippings off paved surfaces and back into the lawn!

## MEDICATION DROP-BOX LOCATION

Weyauwega City Hall • 109 E. Main Street • Lobby Hours from 8 am to 4:30 pm (Mon-Fri)

### WHAT TO DROP

- Expired/Unwanted Prescription Meds
- Over-the-Counter Medications
- Medication Samples
- Pet Medications
- Liquid Medications
- Medicated Ointments and Creams
- Inhalers
- Vitamin Supplements

### WHAT NOT TO DROP

- Needles/Lancets/Syringes
- Thermometers
- IV Bags
- Nebulizer Machines
- Diabetes Test Kits
- Oxygen Tanks
- Personal Care Products (shampoo, lotion, tec.)

**NEW GUIDELINES:** Empty pills into a plastic sealable bag. Keep liquids, creams, powders in original containers. Place liquid medication bottles in a plastic bag. Recycle empty pill bottles and paper boxes at home.

If you have any questions, contact the Waupaca County Solid Waste Department at 715-258-6240.

## KEEP YOUR GRASS CUT

The Common Council finds that lawns, grasses, and noxious weeds on non-agricultural lots or parcels of land, as classified under the City Zoning Code, within the City of Weyauwega **which exceed eight (8) inches in length** adversely affect the public health and safety of the public in that they tend to emit pollen and other discomforting bits of plants, constitute a fire hazard, and a safety hazard in that debris can be hidden in the grass, interferes with the public convenience, and adversely affects property values of other land within the City.

For that reason, any non-agricultural lawn, grass, or weed on a lot or other parcel of land **which exceeds eight (8) inches in length** is hereby declared to be a public nuisance.

The City of Weyauwega may issue written notice to require the cutting of grasses/weeds exceeding eight (8) inches in length. In the event that the issue is not resolved within the timeline identified in writing, the City reserves the right to authorize/contract for the grasses or weeds to be cut, with applicable costs and expenses to be billed to the property owner.

*Regulation of Length of Lawn and Grasses  
(Municipal Code Sec. 283-6)*

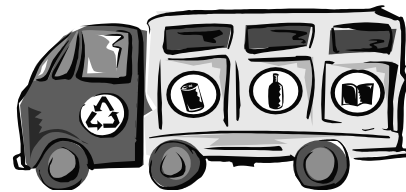
# NUISANCE/JUNK ORDINANCE

Weyauwega residents, with the spring time upon us, the Weyauwega Police Department reminds you to do an inspection of your yard, property or properties. The City Administrator in conjunction with the Weyauwega Police Department encourages City Residents to comply with the ordinances that help to keep our great community looking orderly and respectful. The City of Weyauwega discourages against the collection of junk and unsightly materials within the community. Weyauwega City Ordinance 283-8 prohibits unhealthy, hazardous or unsightly materials on public or private property. City Ordinance 454-26 prohibits inoperable, wrecked or discarded vehicles. City Ordinance 378-1 explains parameters of outside storage on private property. All of these ordinances are accessible online at <http://ecode360.com/WE2856> or available at City Hall for your review of the definition. Should you have any question with regards to the interpretation of the ordinance or if your property complies, appointments can be made and an officer will assist you with your

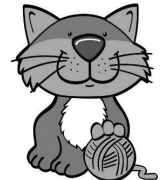
inspection(s). The City Administrator along with the Weyauwega Police Department continually evaluate properties for compliance throughout the year. Identified compliance violations will be contacted and handled on a case by case basis. Fines for non-compliance can range from \$100.00 – \$500.00.

Waupaca County Processing & Transfer Facility located at E4981 Swan Road in Manawa, 715-258-6249, can take most items with a small fee.

The City Administrator and Weyauwega Police Department encourages your partnership in helping keep Weyauwega a clean, safe place to live!



## Reminders to Property Owners with Pets – Please Respect your Neighbors



The nice weather brings out citizens as well as their pets. Please respect everyone in the community by making sure you clean up after your pets. Keep the outdoors enjoyable for everyone!

**Chapter 190-6 of the Code of Ordinances** for the City of Weyauwega states:

1. No person having in his/her possession or ownership any dog or other domestic animal shall allow the animal to run at large within the City. The owner of animal, whether licensed or unlicensed, shall keep his/her animal tied or enclosed in a proper enclosure so as not to allow said animal to interfere with the passing public or neighbors. Any animal running at large unlicensed and required by state law or City ordinance to be licensed shall be seized and impounded by a humane or law enforcement officer or animal warden.

**Chapter 190-10 of the Code of Ordinances** for the City of Weyauwega states:

1. **Removal of Fecal Matter.** The owner or person in charge of any dog, cat, horse, or other animal shall not permit solid fecal matter of such animal to deposit on any street, sidewalk, alley or other public or private property, unless such matter is immediately removed therefrom by said owner or person in charge. This Section shall not apply to a person who is visually or physically handicapped.
2. **Accumulation of Fecal Matter Prohibited on Private Yards.** The owner or person in charge of the dog or cat must also prevent accumulation of animal waste on his/her own property by regularly patrolling and properly disposing of the fecal matter.

# 2024 Summer Reading Program

## “Adventure Begins at Your Library”

WEYAUWEGA PUBLIC LIBRARY

301 S. Mill Street, Weyauwega



Join us this summer at the Weyauwega Public Library for an exciting reading adventure! Kick off the fun by creating your own explorer pack on **June 3rd**, and enjoy adventure themed crafts and puzzles throughout the day. Registration will be available all day (and summer!), with the WF Jazz Band performing at 6 PM, offering families a chance to sign up, dance, and visit the new addition.

**The 2024 Summer Reading Program starts Monday, June 3rd!**

**Performance by Dragon Training Academy**

**Tuesday, June 18<sup>th</sup> @ 10:30am**

**Family Puzzle Race (in the new addition)**

**Friday June 12<sup>th</sup> @3:30pm**

The library will host activities and offer prizes all summer long for participants. *It's easy!* Complete 4 bookmarks by reading 4-5 hours each, and at summer's end, you can order your choice of paperback book to keep! Additional activities include making your own boba tea, Bubblepalooza, monthly art days, and more. You do not need a library card to participate.



**Call or email for more information:**

**Call: 920-867-3742**

**Email: [wey@wegalibrary.org](mailto:wey@wegalibrary.org)**

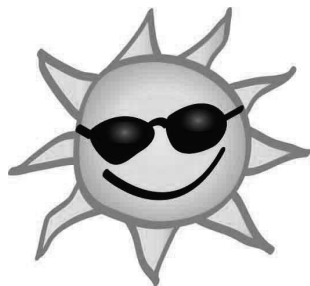
### **LIBRARY HOURS**

**9:30-6 pm (MON-THU)**

**9:30-5 pm (FRI)**

**9:30-12:00 pm (SAT)**

# THE WEYAUWEGA SWIM LAKE



The Weyauwega Swim Lake located in the Maasch Community Park will open for the 2024 season on Wednesday, June 5, 2024. Open swim hours are Monday thru Thursday, 12:30 pm - 6:00 pm, Friday 12:30 pm – 7:00 pm and Saturday/Sunday from 11:00 am – 7:00 pm.

Swimming lessons are offered in the mornings Monday thru Friday for a half hour starting at either 11:00 am or 11:30 am. Evening swim lessons are held twice a week, either Monday/Wednesday or Tuesday/Thursday from 6:15 pm – 7:00 pm.

The first session of morning swimming lessons will be offered thru the Weyauwega-Fremont School District Summer School Program. Please contact the School District to sign up for morning lessons only from June 10-June 28. Times will vary.

<b>Session I Lessons</b>	<b>Monday-Friday, June 10 to June 28</b>
<b>Session II Lessons</b>	<b>Monday-Friday, July 8 to July 26</b>
<b>Session III Lessons</b>	<b>Monday-Friday, July 29 to August 16</b>

- Level One- Introduction to Water Skills
- Level Two – Fundamental Aquatic Skills
- Level Three – Stroke Development
- Level Four – Stroke Improvement
- Level Five – Stroke Refinement
- Level Six – Advanced

The cost for lessons is \$15 per person for city resident and \$25 for non-city residents who have purchased a season pass, or \$25 for city residents and \$40 for non-city residents without a season pass.

*Please Note:* Each level has a maximum of 8 students per lesson time so please try to have a second choice in mind when registering in case the time you want is full. Additional classes may be opened if the need arises.

## PRIVATE LESSONS - \$15.00 PER HOUR SCHEDULE WITH INSTRUCTOR FOR ANY TIME

### Season Passes and Day Passes

Season passes will be available at the swim lake during open swim hours. The fees are as follows:

Family plus one*	\$55 city resident, \$65 non-city resident
Adult (18 & older)	\$35 city resident, \$40 non-city resident
Child	\$30 city resident, \$35 non-city resident

Day Passes are:	<u>City Resident</u>	<u>Non-City Resident</u>
Senior Citizen.	\$3	\$4
Adult	\$4	\$5
Child	\$3	\$4

\*Family pass plus one includes immediate family under 18 living in the same household and one other person such as a babysitter, grandparent, etc.

\*If you have any questions about dates, requirements, or anything else you may call the Swim Lake at (920) 867-2555 starting June 5th or City Hall at (920) 867-2630.0.



# Weyauwega Area Chamber of Commerce 2024 Events



**Thursday, August 1st** – Car Show and Historical Society Spaghetti Supper Main Street from 4-8 pm

**September 13th & 14th** – Horse & Buggy Days

**Saturday, September 21st** – Fall Rummage O' Rama

**Thursday, October 3rd** – Soup's on Main

**Saturday, December 7th** – Weyauwega Christmas Parade

Watch for more details on The Weyauwega Area Chamber of Commerce Facebook page or email them at [weyauwegachamberinfo@gmail.com](mailto:weyauwegachamberinfo@gmail.com).

## 2024 Garbage and Recycling Schedule



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\* Observed holidays - Service delayed 1 day throughout remainder of week.

City of Weyauwega

 **TRASH**  
**TRASH AND RECYCLING**

WM Customer Service  
1-888-960-0008

2024 HOLIDAYS - ONE DAY DELAY

New Year's Day	Jan 1
Memorial Day	May 27
Independence Day	July 4
Labor Day	Sept 2
Thanksgiving	Nov 28
Christmas Day	Dec 25

## RECYCLE RIGHT

✓ ALWAYS RECYCLE / RECICLE SIEMPRE



**Plastic Bottles & Containers**  
*Botellas y envases de plástico*



**Food & Beverage Cans**  
*Latas de alimentos y bebidas*



**Paper**  
*Papeles*



**Flattened Cardboard & Paperboard**  
*Cartón y cartulina aplastados*



**Glass Bottles & Containers**  
*Botellas y envases de vidrio*

✗ DO NOT INCLUDE IN YOUR MIXED RECYCLING CONTAINER  
/ NO INCLUIR EN SU CONTENEDOR DE RECICLAJE MIXTO



**NO Food or Liquids**  
*NO comida o líquidos*



**NO Foam Cups & Containers**  
*NO vasos y recipientes de poliestireno*



**NO Loose Plastic Bags, Bagged Recyclables or Film**  
*Empty recyclables directly into your bin.*  
*NO bolsas y envolturas de plástico sueltas, o materiales reciclables embolsados*  
*Vacíe directamente los materiales reciclables en nuestro carrito*



**NO Batteries** – check local drop-off programs for proper disposal  
*NO baterías - Verifique los programas locales de entrega para su correcta eliminación*



**NO Green Waste**  
*NO desechos verdes*



**NO Clothing, Furniture & Carpet**  
*NO ropa, muebles y alfombras*

To learn more, visit:  
[www.com/recycleright](http://www.com/recycleright)



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### **"FLUSHABLE" WIPES ARE NOT FLUSHABLE!**

Did you know that baby wipes may specify they are flushable, but they should not be put in our wastewater system? This also includes adult wipes, cleaning wipes (Clorox, Lysol), medical wipes, etc. In fact, the only paper product that should be "flushed" is toilet paper. It is the only paper designed to break down as it travels through the wastewater treatment process.

## **No Wipes Down the Pipes**

**Even if a product says it is "flushable" ...**

**Unless it is toilet paper, it should not be flushed!**

- Diapers (including cloth, cotton, disposable, or plastic)
- Flushable, disposable, cleaning, or baby wipes
- Paper towels, cloth towels, or any type of rag
- Feminine hygiene products
- Facial Tissues



**Place the items listed above in a trash can**

**Putting these items down toilets may plug sewers and cause raw sewage to back up into YOUR HOME**

## **City of Weyauwega Yard Waste Site**

The City of Weyauwega is able to offer a yard waste site to **City** residents under Wisconsin Department of Natural Resources License # 4285. City residents need to purchase a tag for \$1.00 at city hall to be on display in their vehicle when entering and exiting the yard waste site on Slough Road. If your schedule doesn't allow you the ability to arrive at city hall during regular business hours of 8:00am-4:30pm, Monday-Friday you can place \$1.00 in an envelope with your name, address and telephone number and place in one of the utility drop boxes and we will gladly mail you your tag. The entire yard waste site premises is under surveillance and violators will be prosecuted pursuant to city ordinance 412-25. The yard waste site accepts: grass clippings, leaves, garden waste and brush. Please follow signage for proper location within the site. The yard waste site **does not** accept: logs, trash, construction/remodeling debris, pavement of any type, stones, etc. Furthermore, the city yard waste site is not usable for lawn care services, professional tree services and non-residents. Your cooperation and vigilance is greatly appreciated to keep this service open and available.

## **How to Protect Yourself from the Costs to Remedy Sewer Back-Ups in Your Home**

The City has determined that there may be certain areas within the City of Weyauwega that are prone or more susceptible to sanitary sewer backups. In some cases there may be problems with the City's infrastructure, and in other cases, there are things that cannot be prevented from the City's perspective.

When such a sewer backup does occur that is not of the negligence of the City of Weyauwega, the City's insurance carrier **does not** cover the cost associated with restoration, rehabilitation and clean-up of such incidents, accidents or occurrences. The costs to clean and restore your property after a sewer backup situation are usually placed on the homeowner, when the City is determined not to be negligible by law. With that, it behooves City residents to have one, or both, of the following protections in place:

1. Acquisition and possession of homeowners insurance that includes coverage for sanitary sewer backup situations.
2. A backflow preventer, which prevents sanitary sewer material from back-flowing out of the main lines and into your home.

These are two ways in which citizens may be able to limit their liability and provide funds for cleanup and restoration, should such a situation develop. The City hereby urges you to check into both of these options as it relates to providing assurances that you have protected your home and property.

The City of Weyauwega strives to minimize these situations from occurring and conducts routine regular maintenance of our lines and sanitary sewer infrastructure. However, there are times when excessively heavy precipitation or infrastructure obstructions occur that cause such backups.

If you have any questions on this matter, please feel free to contact City Hall at (920) 867-2630.

We hope that you find this information useful and that it provides you with the information necessary to make the right decisions for your property and possessions.

**When a potential sewer backup situation is occurring at your home, it is absolutely important that your first call is to the City of Weyauwega, and not a private plumber or contractor.** The City may be able to remedy the situation independently, where a private contractor may charge you for their services.



## WEYAUWEGA AREA HISTORICAL SOCIETY



Fifty WF seventh-grade students not only learned about Weyauwega's community history on Monday, May 20, but also had the privilege to help dedicate the new sign that explains what each beautiful picture represents. The silo was originally painted by Rick Hendrickson just before Weyauwega's Sesquicentennial in 2006. Sponsors are currently being sought to give a new coat of paint to the silo, so it can look bright as the picture on the left again. Please drop off your contributions at City Hall or mail to WAHS, PO Box 294, Weyauwega.

Another major project WAHS is excited about is to digitize Weyauwega's local newspapers, dating back to 1855. The WAHS is working with the Wisconsin State Historical Society to bring this to fruition to help all interested in looking up history in easy fashion. It is a timely, expensive process. But we feel it is beneficial for all, once completed. Share contributions at City Hall or mail to WAHS.

Please note the following WAHS happenings and opportunities for you.

- ☐ The Little Red Schoolhouse Museum, located in Maasch Community Park, will be open on **Sunday, June 9, from 1 – 4 pm** and every Sunday through the summer at the same time. No charge -contributions are appreciated. For special times, please call 715-281-6310 for an appointment.
- ☐ For a stone to be part of the Memorial Walkway, pick up a form from City Hall or call 920-538-2025
- ☐ For a copy of the quarterly "PasTimes" newsletter, pick up a hard copy from City Hall or call 920-538-2025 to get on the e-mail list. Thank you to our sponsors!
- ☐ Artifacts are always appreciated! Drop off at City Hall. Many are used for displays in City Hall.
- ☐ **Thursday, August 1**, from 4:30-7:30 p.m. Spaghetti Dinner during Weyauwega's Car Show. New this year: Text orders to car participant locations.
- ☐ **Friday, August 9 and Saturday, August 10** - (Look for times later) "A Talent For Murder" talent contest and meal. Featuring thoughts created from Weyauwega's author Robert Bloch from his book, Psycho.

from 65 years ago. Look forward to seeing you at this event held at the George Gerold Opera House.

- ☐ **September 14** – 63<sup>rd</sup> Annual Horse & Buggy Days.
  - o Pie & Ice Cream Social following
  - o Historical tours of the City

**The City of Weyauwega Vision Statement remains in the hearts and vision of WAHS members:**

*The City of Weyauwega strives to sustain a quality of life encompassed with its rich history*



# **2023 Consumer Confidence Report Data**

## **WEYAUWEGA WATERWORKS, PWS ID: 46904033**

**ESTE INFORME CONTIENE INFORMACIÓN IMPORTANTE ACERCA DE SU AGUA POTABLE.  
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**DLAIM NTAWV TSHAABZU NUAV MUAJ LUG TSEEMCEEV HEEV NYOB RUA HUV  
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LOS NRUG IB TUG KWS PAUB LUG THAAM.**

### **WATER SYSTEM INFORMATION**

If you would like to know more about the information contained in this report, please contact Michael Lee at (920) 707-4020.

### **OPPORTUNITY FOR INPUT ON DECISIONS AFFECTING YOUR WATER QUALITY**

Public Works Committee Meetings are held as a Committee of the Whole on the 2nd Tuesday of the month at 6:30 pm. City Council meetings are held at City Hall on the 3rd Monday of the month at 6:30 pm.

### **HEALTH INFORMATION**

Drinking water, including bottled water, may reasonably be expected to contain at least small amounts of some contaminants. The presence of contaminants does not necessarily indicate that water poses a health risk. More information about contaminants and potential health effects can be obtained by calling the Environmental Protection Agency's safe drinking water hotline (800-426-4791).

Some people may be more vulnerable to contaminants in drinking water than the general population. Immuno-compromised persons such as persons with cancer undergoing chemotherapy, persons who have undergone organ transplants, people with HIV/AIDS or other immune systems disorders, some elderly, and infants can be particularly at risk from infections. These people should seek advice about drinking water from their health care providers. EPA/CDC guidelines on appropriate means to lessen the risk of infection by cryptosporidium and other microbial contaminants are available from the Environmental Protection Agency's safe drinking water hotline (800-426-4791).

### **SOURCE(S) OF WATER**

Source ID	Source	Depth (in feet)	Status
1	Groundwater	86	Active
3	Groundwater	90	Active
4	Groundwater	172	Active

To obtain a summary of the source water assessment please contact, Michael Lee at (920) 707-4020.

### **EDUCATIONAL INFORMATION**

The sources of drinking water, both tap water and bottled water, include rivers, lakes, streams, ponds, reservoirs, springs and wells. As water travels over the surface of the land or through the ground, it dissolves naturally occurring minerals and, in some cases, radioactive material, and can pick up substances resulting from the presence of animals or from human activity.

Contaminants that may be present in source water include:

- Microbial contaminants, such as viruses and bacteria, which may come from sewage treatment plants, septic systems, agricultural livestock operations and wildlife.
- Inorganic contaminants, such as salts and metals, which can be naturally- occurring or result from urban stormwater runoff, industrial or domestic wastewater discharges, oil and gas production, mining or farming.
- Pesticides and herbicides, which may come from a variety of sources such as agriculture, urban stormwater runoff and residential uses.

- Organic chemical contaminants, including synthetic and volatile organic chemicals, which are by-products of industrial processes and petroleum production, and can also come from gas stations, urban stormwater runoff and septic systems.
- Radioactive contaminants, which can be naturally occurring or be the result of oil and gas production and mining activities.

In order to ensure that tap water is safe to drink, EPA prescribes regulations that limit the amount of certain contaminants in water provided by public water systems. FDA regulations establish limits for contaminants in bottled water, which shall provide the same protection for public health.

## DEFINITIONS

Term	Definition
AL	Action Level: The concentration of a contaminant which, if exceeded, triggers treatment or other requirements which a water system must follow.
HA and HAL	HA: Health Advisory. An estimate of acceptable drinking water levels for a chemical substance based on health effects information. HAL: Health Advisory Level is a concentration of a contaminant which, if exceeded, poses a health risk and may require a system to post a public notice. Health Advisories are determined by US EPA.
HI	HI: Hazard Index: A Hazard Index is used to assess the potential health impacts associated with mixtures of contaminants. Hazard Index guidance for a class of contaminants or mixture of contaminants may be determined by the US EPA or Wisconsin Department of Health Services. If a Health Index is exceeded a system may be required to post a public notice.
Level 1 Assessment	A Level 1 assessment is a study of the water system to identify potential problems and determine, if possible, why total coliform bacteria have been found in our water system.
Level 2 Assessment	A Level 2 assessment is a very detailed study of the water system to identify potential problems and determine, if possible, why an E. coli MCL violation has occurred or why total coliform bacteria have been found in our water system, or both, on multiple occasions.
MCL	Maximum Contaminant Level: The highest level of a contaminant that is allowed in drinking water. MCLs are set as close to the MCLGs as feasible using the best available treatment technology.
MCLG	Maximum Contaminant Level Goal: The level of a contaminant in drinking water below which there is no known or expected risk to health. MCLGs allow for a margin of safety.
MFL	million fibers per liter
MRDL	Maximum residual disinfectant level: The highest level of a disinfectant allowed in drinking water. There is convincing evidence that addition of a disinfectant is necessary for control of microbial contaminants.
MRDLG	Maximum residual disinfectant level goal: The level of a drinking water disinfectant below which there is no known or expected risk to health. MRDLGs do not reflect the benefits of the use of disinfectants to control microbial contaminants.
mrem/year	millirems per year (a measure of radiation absorbed by the body)
NTU	Nephelometric Turbidity Units
pCi/l	picocuries per liter (a measure of radioactivity)
ppm	parts per million, or milligrams per liter (mg/l)
ppb	parts per billion, or micrograms per liter (ug/l)
ppt	parts per trillion, or nanograms per liter
ppq	parts per quadrillion, or picograms per liter

Term	Definition
PHGS	PHGS: Public Health Groundwater Standards are found in NR 140 Groundwater Quality. The concentration of a contaminant which, if exceeded, poses a health risk and may require a system to post a public notice.
RPHGS	RPHGS: Recommended Public Health Groundwater Standards: Groundwater standards proposed by the Wisconsin Department of Health Services. The concentration of a contaminant which, if exceeded, poses a health risk and may require a system to post a public notice.
SMCL	Secondary drinking water standards or Secondary Maximum Contaminant Levels for contaminants that affect taste, odor, or appearance of the drinking water. The SMCLs do not represent health standards.
TCR	Total Coliform Rule
TT	Treatment Technique: A required process intended to reduce the level of a contaminant in drinking water.

### DETECTED CONTAMINANTS

Your water was tested for many contaminants last year. We are allowed to monitor for some contaminants less frequently than once a year. The following tables list only those contaminants which were detected in your water. If a contaminant was detected last year, it will appear in the following tables without a sample date. If the contaminant was not monitored last year, but was detected within the last 5 years, it will appear in the tables below along with the sample date.

### DISINFECTION BYPRODUCTS

Contaminant (units)	Site	MCL	MCLG	Level Found	Range	Sample Date (if prior to 2023)	Violation	Typical Source of Contaminant
HAA5 (ppb)	C	60	60	3	3		No	By-product of drinking water chlorination
TTHM (ppb)	C	80	0	11.8	11.8		No	By-product of drinking water chlorination

### INORGANIC CONTAMINANTS

Contaminant (units)	Site	MCL	MCLG	Level Found	Range	Sample Date (if prior to 2023)	Violation	Typical Source of Contaminant
BARIUM (ppm)		2	2	0.030	0.024 - 0.030		No	Discharge of drilling wastes; Discharge from metal refineries; Erosion of natural deposits
FLOURIDE (ppm)		4	4	0.7	0.3 - 0.7		No	Erosion of natural deposits; Water additive which promotes strong teeth; Discharge from fertilizer and aluminum factories
NITRATE (NO3-N) (ppm)		10	10	3.59	1.88 - 3.59		No	Runoff from fertilizer use; Leaching from septic tanks, sewage; Erosion of natural deposits
SODIUM (ppm)		n/a	n/a	17.20	10.30 - 17.20		No	n/a

Contaminant (units)	Action Level	MCLG	90th Percentile Level Found	# of Results	Sample Date (if prior to 2023)	Violation	Typical Source of Contaminant
COPPER (ppm)	AL=1.3	1.3	0.0792	0 of 10 results were above the action level.		No	Corrosion of household plumbing systems; Erosion of natural deposits; Leaching from wood preservatives
LEAD (ppb)	AL=15	0	6.00	0 of 10 results were above the action level.		No	Corrosion of household plumbing systems; Erosion of natural deposits

### RADIOACTIVE CONTAMINANTS

Contaminant (units)	Site	MCL	MCLG	Level Found	Range	Sample Date (if prior to 2020)	Violation	Typical Source of Contaminant
GROSS ALPHA, EXCL. R & U (pCi/l)		15	0	2.9	1.7 - 2.9	7/15/2020	No	Erosion of natural deposits
RADIUM, (226 + 228) (pCi/l)		5	0	1.4	0.8 - 1.4	7/15/2020	No	Erosion of natural deposits
GROSS ALPHA, INCL. R & U (n/a)		n/a	n/a	4.6	2.4 - 4.6	7/15/2020	No	Erosion of natural deposits
COMBINED URANIUM (ug/l)		30	0	2.5	0.8 - 2.5	7/15/2020	No	Erosion of natural deposits

### UNREGULATED CONTAMINANTS

Unregulated contaminants are those for which EPA has not established drinking water standards. The purpose of unregulated contaminant monitoring is to assist EPA in determining the occurrence of unregulated contaminants in drinking water and whether future regulation is warranted. EPA required us to participate in this monitoring.

Contaminant (units)	Level Found	Range	Sample Date (if prior to 2018)
CHLOROMETHANE (METHYLCHLORIDE) (ppb)	2.05	0.00 - 2.05	

## ADDITIONAL HEALTH INFORMATION

If present, elevated levels of lead can cause serious health problems, especially for pregnant women and young children. Lead in drinking water is primarily from materials and components associated with service lines and home plumbing. Weyauwega Waterworks is responsible for providing high quality drinking water, but cannot control the variety of materials used in plumbing components. When your water has been sitting for several hours, you can minimize the potential for lead exposure by flushing your tap for 30 seconds to 2 minutes before using water for drinking or cooking. If you are concerned about lead in your water, you may wish to have your water tested. Information on lead in drinking water, testing methods, and steps you can take to minimize exposure is available from the Safe Drinking Water Hotline or at [www.epa.gov/safewater/lead](http://www.epa.gov/safewater/lead).

## OTHER COMPLIANCE

### MONITORING VIOLATIONS

Description	Contaminant Group	Sample Location	Compliance Period Beginning	Compliance Period Ending
Chem M/R - Reg - No Regular samples	Synthetic Organic Contaminants	1	1/1/2023	9/30/2023
Chem M/R - Reg - No Regular samples	Synthetic Organic Contaminants	4	1/1/2023	9/30/2023
Chem M/R - Reg - No Regular samples	Synthetic Organic Contaminants	3	1/1/2023	9/30/2023

We are required to monitor your drinking water for specific contaminants on a regular basis. Results of regular monitoring are an indicator of whether or not your drinking water meets health standards. During the compliance period noted in the above table, we did not complete all monitoring or testing for the contaminant(s) noted, and therefore cannot be sure of the quality of your drinking water during that time.

### ACTIONS TAKEN

The city will make sure that we do all the required sample within the sample window by double checking what the lab sends us as well as the DNR required samples for that year.

**IMPORTANT INFORMATION ABOUT YOUR DRINKING WATER  
Monitoring Requirements Not Met for WEYAUWEGA WATERWORKS**

We are required to monitor your drinking water for specific contaminants on a regular basis. Results of regular monitoring are an indicator of whether or not your drinking water meets health standards. Between 1/1/2023 and 9/30/2023, we did not monitor for **synthetic organic** contaminants, and therefore cannot be sure of the quality of your drinking water during that time.

**What precautions should be taken at this time?**

There are no special precautions you need to take at this time. However, it is important to remember that the quality of your drinking water is not known at this time.

**What was the cause of the missed monitoring requirements?**

The lab the city uses for all water sampling normally sends the city of Weyauwega all the required sampling bottles and paperwork at the start of each year. The lab did not send the bottles for the SOC (Synthetic Organic Contaminants). The city did not double check to make sure the lab had sent all of the required sampling equipment.

**What is being done to correct the problem?**

The city will make sure that we do all the required samples within the sample window by double checking what the lab sends us as well as the DNR required samples for that year.

**When will the problem be resolved?**

The problem was resolved in the first quarter of 2024 at well house 1 and 3, and in the second quarter at well house 4. All sample results have come back and there was no detectable SOC at any of the wells.

**If you have questions regarding the safety of our drinking water, please contact:**

Name of Responsible Person

Area Code-Telephone Number

Michael Lee

(920) 707-4020

Street Address

City

State

Zip

109 E. Main St

Weyauwega

WI 54983

I certify that the information and statements contained in this public notice are true and correct and have been provided to consumers in accordance with the delivery, content, format, and deadline requirements in Subchapter VII of ch. NR 809, Wis. Adm. Code.

X Michael Lee

6-5-2024

Signature

Date

## **WATER CONSERVATION ORDINANCE**

In an effort to protect the structural integrity of the City's water distribution system without significant and unnecessary added costs, and to promote responsible outdoor watering, the Common Council of the City of Weyauwega approved an ordinance to preserve, conserve and limit water use for lawns, grass, outside plants, trees, shrubs and similar plants.

This ordinance was approved by the City Council in 2013 and closely resembles water conservation ordinances adopted by the City of Waupaca, and other municipalities.

There shall be absolutely NO watering by unattended sprinkler systems between 11:00 a.m. and 6:00 p.m. Even-numbered addresses shall only be allowed to water before 11:00 a.m. and after 6:00 p.m. on even-numbered days. Odd-numbered addresses shall only be allowed to water before 11:00 a.m. and after 6:00 p.m. on odd-numbered days.

Use of handheld sprayers/hoses for watering is allowed at any time on any day. Newly seeded and newly sod lawns may be watered by sprinkler every day with a permit issued by the city but only before 11:00 a.m. and after 6:00 p.m.

Violations of this ordinance will be penalized. First offense will be issued a written warning. Second offense will be fined \$10 - \$25. Third and subsequent offenses will be fined \$25 - \$100.

For more specific information, or to discuss this ordinance, please contact City Hall at (920) 867-2630.

## **HOUSE NUMBERS**

The City of Weyauwega wants to remind all residents that to ensure public safety and well being it is essential to have house numbers visible for Police, EMS, Fire and all safety personnel. The City of Weyauwega code §419-16 requires the following: The numbers shall be conspicuously placed immediately above, on or at the side of the proper door of each building so that they can be plainly seen from the street. Whenever any building is more than 50 feet from the street line, the number of the building shall be conspicuously displayed at the street line, near the walk, driveway or common entrance to such building, and upon a gatepost, fence, tree, post or other appropriate place so as to be easily discernible from the sidewalk. The numbers shall be not less than 2½ inches in height, with dark lettering against a light background. Script numbers may not be used as the primary address numbers. Periodically the City Administrator and/or Police, Fire or EMS personnel will regularly check for compliance.

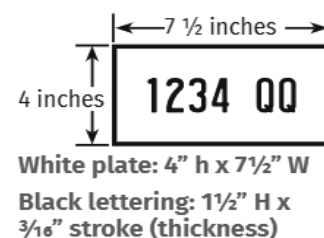
## **STREET LIGHTS**

If you notice a street light out in the City please contact City Hall at 920-867-2630 and notify us of the location of the light pole. If it is possible to get the pole number off of the pole that would be greatly appreciated as well. The City will then contact WE Energies and relay the information to them for the repair.

## **ATV/UTV REMINDERS**

As ATV and UTV use becomes more and more popular, the Weyauwega Police Department would like to remind you to ride with caution. Remember the following: (1) Headlamps and taillights must be turned on at all times. (2) Youth under 16 are required to have safety certificates and be accompanied by a parent or guardian within instructional distance while operating on the roadway. (3) All persons under 18 operating and or riding on an ATV/UTV must wear a helmet. (4) Be sure to check that your ATV is a two seated machine; if it is not indicated as such you cannot have a passenger. (5) All ATV/UTV's operated on the roadway must be registered and properly display registration. Rear registration must display as 7.5" long and 4" high White plate with Black lettering.

(6) Follow all posted speed limit signs unless indicated otherwise specific to ATV/UTV.



# City of Weyauwega

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PO Box 578

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## ***City of Weyauwega Mission Statement:***

*The City of Weyauwega will continue to embrace its great heritage and history while actively researching, attracting and implementing new opportunities and business for residents and guests to improve their quality of life through cost effective quality public services, great community events and recreational activities appropriate for all ages and cultures.*

## ***City of Weyauwega Vision Statement:***

*The City of Weyauwega strives to sustain a quality of life encompassed with its rich history.*

# **CITY FIREWORKS ON JULY 3RD**

**Fireworks will be held on Wednesday, July 3rd at  
the Waupaca County Fairgrounds at dusk.**