

CERESCO RESIDENT NEWSLETTER January 2019

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Village Office: 402-665-2391

Police: 402-443-1000



**** SEWER PLANT ISSUES:** Please **DO NOT** flush wipes of any kind! Watch for a flyer to be put in your door concerning things being flushed that shouldn't be. Contact the Village Office with questions 665-2391.

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**\*\* REMINDER:** Sewer rates are based on the water that you use in the months of December, January and February. NOW is the time to fix leaking toilets and dripping faucets to prevent an increased sewer rate in the coming year.

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**\*\* TRASH RATE CHANGES:** Waste Connections was awarded the solid waste removal bid for the Village. Trash rates will increase. The new residential prices starting in January are: 35 gal can - \$11.35; Toter - \$12.41; Toter/can - \$14.11; (2) Toters - \$14.68; (3) Toters - \$16.94. Recycling is still optional for \$6.74 each month.

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**\*\* NEW BOARD OF TRUSTEES:** There are 3 new members of the Village of Ceresco Board of Trustees. Toni Rupe filled a vacancy left by Jean Slenar in November, her term is until December 2020. Sophia Custer was re-elected and Doug Wilson was elected to serve until December 2022.

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**\*\* STREET LIGHTS:** If you see street lights not working, please call the Village Office and leave a message stating the location of the light that is out. Or you can visit [www.OPPD.com](http://www.OPPD.com), go to outages, and then click on report street light problem.

\*\*\*\*\* **WINTER WEATHER REMINDERS** \*\*\*\*\*

**\*\* PARK BATHROOMS ARE CLOSED:** The bathrooms at the park have been winterized and will remain locked until spring.

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**** VILLAGE SNOW REMOVAL:** Snow removal will begin with the business districts and main roadways and then move to residential areas. **Please keep vehicles off the streets** to allow the Maintenance Personnel to do the best possible job of clearing snow.

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**\*\* RESIDENT SNOW REMOVAL:** All sidewalks, with the exception of those sidewalks immediately adjacent to the paved portion of a street, shall be cleaned within five hours after the cessation of a storm unless the storm or snowfall shall have taken place during the night, in which case the sidewalk shall be cleaned before 8:30 a.m. the following day. Sidewalks located immediately adjacent to a paved street shall be cleaned within two hours after the village's snow plow has removed the snow from the adjacent paved street.

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PLEASE, DO NOT BLOW OR SCOOP SNOW INTO THE STREET.

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**\*\* IN CASE OF A BIG SNOW EVENT:** Listen to radio station **106.3, KFOR, KFRX, the BLAZE,** and **EAGLE 92** or watch TV station **10/11, FOX 42,** or **Channel 7** for announcements of a snow emergency. In the event a snow emergency is declared, **ALL VEHICLES MUST BE MOVED OFF THE VILLAGE STREETS** until the snow emergency expires. Parking for vehicles that will not fit in personal driveways is available at the owners risk at either Immanuel Lutheran Church or Ceresco United Methodist Church parking lots. Vehicles must be removed from those parking lots immediately after the snow emergency expires.

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\*\* IMMANUEL LUTHERAN CHURCH: Will be Celebrating 100 years in 2019. Watch for upcoming festivities.

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\*\* CERESCO DAYS: The first settlers came to the area in 1868. Ceresco was established in 1869 and incorporated in 1887. The 2019 Ceresco Days celebration will be July 11<sup>th</sup> ó 13<sup>th</sup>. The theme will be 150 years of Ceresco History. Therefore the Ceresco Days Committee would like to add to the Ceresco History book that was put out in 1977. If you have any information that you would like to have put in the updated history book or pictures that you would like to share, please contact Doug Swanson or email [cerescodays@gmail.com](mailto:cerescodays@gmail.com).

\*\*\*\*\* CERESCO LIBRARY NEWS \*\*\*\*\*

\*\* LIBRARY HOURS: Tuesday, Wednesday, and Thursday: 10:00 am - noon and 2:30 - 7:00 pm, Saturdays 10:00 am ó 3:00 pm.

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** STORYTIME: Is every Thursday at 10:00 am. All children are welcome to attend.

***** COMPOST SITE *****

** COMPOST SITE: Is not a dump or a landfill and CANNOT be treated like one. **Do not leave trash bags at the compost site.** It is a collection site for tree branches and grass clippings only. **Absolutely NO** lumber may be left at the compost site. Make sure to keep the piles separate. (Tree branches in the tree pile/grass in the grass pile.) Citations may be issued because we are at risk of losing it. Please contact the Village Office if you see any illegal dumping. A description of the vehicle and a license plate number would be a big help. **PLEASE DO NOT DRIVE IN THE COMPOST SITE WHEN IT IS MUDDY.**

***** SOLID WASTE *****

GARBAGE PICKUP AND RECYCLING: **Please make sure your toter is out the night before pickup and have the handle pointed out towards the street. If it is sideways that is a signal to other drivers that it has already been picked up.

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\*\* CARDBOARD: The dumpster at the Village Maintenance Shop is for **CARDBOARD ONLY**. Please **break down** boxes. No carpet or other items allowed.

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** METAL: The metal box is for **METAL ONLY**. No mattresses, couches or other trash. The dumpsters will be removed if violations continue. **THE DUMPSTERS ARE FOR VILLAGE RESIDENTS ONLY.**

** COMMUNITY CALENDAR: Any church group or organization that would like to have an event added to the community calendar, please contact the Village Office at 402-665-2391, or email cerescoutilities@gmail.com.

***** COMMUNITY CALENDAR *****

January 18th ó Village Board Meeting

WE WISH YOU
HEALTH AND HAPPINESS
IN THE NEW YEAR