

## Village of Mount Horeb COVID-19 Update

In order to protect our residents and to slow the spread of COVID-19 (Coronavirus), we are taking the following actions:

- Mount Horeb Public Library is closed to the public; we hope to re-open April 6. As we are all seeing, this situation is ever-changing and we are working hard to ensure our community's safety.
  - Please follow our social media pages or **check our website** for the most up to date information. (We plan on providing engaging video story times and other fun on social media too!)
  - We will be waiving fines during this period and will keep your holds. Feel free to call us at 608-437-5021 or email [mhpl@mounthorebwi.info](mailto:mhpl@mounthorebwi.info) with any questions.
- The Recreation Department is closed to the public. Staff is answering phone calls, returning emails, and accepting dropped off registrations. All Recreation Programs are canceled until further notice.
- Mount Horeb Senior Center is cancelling all non- essential programs except case management and home delivered meals for at least two weeks and possibly longer. Finks will also be closed for meals for seniors. Our Center will be open and staffed.
- The Municipal Building is open to the public for absentee voting only. For the Spring General Election and Presidential Primary, in-person absentee voting will take place Wednesday, March 18 through Friday, April 3 during our normal business hours. On Friday, April 3<sup>rd</sup>, we will be open until 5pm instead of noon, for absentee voters. Please feel free to request an absentee ballot at [www.myvote.wi.gov](http://www.myvote.wi.gov) if you do not want to vote in-person.”
- The Village and Utility offices are closed to walk-ins. Residents are encouraged to conduct as much business as possible with the Village via phone, email, or our drop-box in front of the building.

We encourage residents to continue with the following practical steps:

- Older adults and individuals with underlying medical conditions that are at increased risk of COVID-19 are encouraged stay at home if possible (including employees);
- Social distancing recommendations should be met (limit contact of people within six feet from each other for ten minutes or longer);
- Use proper hand hygiene and sanitation; and clean and disinfect frequently touched objects and surfaces.

For the latest information on COVID-19 go to Dane County Health's website, <https://www.publichealthmdc.com/>.