



TOWNSHIP DAY- March 11, 2014



Annual Town Board Election
 Polling Place - Oak-Land Jr. High School
10:00 a.m. to 8:00 p.m. Room 114B

Chairman's Corner.....

The Board and staff met in early February to come up with the Township budget and levy for 2015. The Board dusted off its crystal ball and looked into it for some guidance. We saw an unexpected increase in costs related to snow-plowing, road maintenance and fire and emergency services. For the past three years, we have also seen expected decreases in outside revenue from interest and permits. The Board has also been trying to set aside money for the future reconstruction of 22nd Street due to identified safety concerns. With this experience, the Board reluctantly concluded that the levy needs to increase from its current \$450,000 to \$529,000 – a 17% increase in Township property taxes for 2015. Roughly speaking, this would be a \$41 increase per year from \$243 to \$284 seen by a home valued at \$300,000.

The Board has been diligently working hard to control costs; but some of these are just out of the Board's control - i.e. weather, fire and emergency services. The Board is inviting residents to attend the March 11th Annual Township meeting to listen and discuss these matters and gain their input. We hope to see you there!

Sincerely,

Daniel Kylo, Chairman
 Town Board

OFFICIAL BALLOT

Judge _____
 Judge _____

**TOWN ELECTION BALLOT
 TOWN OF WEST LAKE LAND
 GENERAL ELECTION
 MARCH 11, 2014**

INSTRUCTIONS TO VOTERS
 To vote, completely fill in the oval(s) next to your choice(s) like this: ●

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| TOWN OFFICES TOWN OF WEST LAKE LAND |
| TOWN SUPERVISOR VOTE FOR ONE |
| <input checked="" type="radio"/> STEPHEN EBNER <input type="radio"/> _____ <small>Write in, if any</small> |

FRONT Card 3

If you will be absent for the Township Election, you may vote by absentee ballot in person at the Government Center location in Stillwater, 14949 62nd St N, More information - elections@co.washington.mn.us or call 651-430-6175

COME TO THE ANNUAL MEETING THIS YEAR

Tuesday, March 11, 2014 at 8:00 p.m.
 In the Oak-Land Jr. High Cafeteria

Invited Guests

Representative Kathy Lohmer, Senator Karin Housley,
Wash. Co. Commissioner Gary Kriesel, Wash. Co. Sheriff Bill Hutton,
Bayport FD Chief Mark Swenson &
Bayport City Administrator Logan Martin





WEST LAKELAND TOWNSHIP

13520 Greenwood Trail, N. , Stillwater, MN 55082
www.westlakeland.govoffice2.com

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Town Board Election—Tues., March 11th
 10:00 a.m.-8:00 p.m. Room 114B

Annual Town Meeting—Tues., March 11th
 8:00 p.m.—Oak-Land Cafeteria

Clean Up Day—**Saturday, May 17, 2014**
 from 8:00 a.m. to Noon—details to follow



WEST LAKELAND TOWNSHIP

TOWNSHIP INFORMATION

Town Office & Meetings, etc.

Office 436-4773 **Fax** 436-2693
Hours Monday—Friday 8 a.m. to Noon

Town Board meetings are held on the second Monday of each month at 7:00 p.m. in the Oak-Land Jr. High unless rescheduled.

Check posting board on Stagecoach Tr.(east side) and 10th St. or website for more information.

Burning Permits are free of charge by calling Dan Kylo(436-1134), Dave Schultz(436-6816), John McPherson(439-3754) or Steve Ebner (436-6482)

Please be sure you call between 8 a.m. and 5 p.m. Monday through Friday.

Animal Control Issues can be addressed by calling officer Kathi Pelnar at 715-386-7789.

Unidentified dogs are taken for impound to the **Hillcrest Animal Hospital** , 1320 Co. Rd. D, Maplewood —651-484-7211



WEST LAKELAND RECYCLES ON AVERAGE 29 TONS PER MONTH!

Make sure that you place only recyclable items in your cart.....non-recyclable items costs taxpayers dollars as it has to be removed by hand from the waste stream.

Items NOT to be included in your recycling cart:
Sharps, food waste, plastic bags, plastic wrap or polystyrene foam cups and containers.