

# Le Sueur Living

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## Fall Clean-Up & Compost Site REMINDERS

**COMPOST:  
NATURE'S  
WAY OF  
RECYCLING**



The fall season is upon us! Leaves will soon be changing color and falling. We hope that you can spend time outdoors and enjoy the beautiful weather.

We would like to take this time to remind you that the City of Le Sueur does not have curbside pickup of leaves and brush. We ask that you do not rake leaves into the gutter, but take them to our compost site.

The City of Le Sueur Compost Site is open to the citizens of the City. The compost site is located off of Water Street, at the west end of town. We accept lawn grass, leaves, branches and small quantities of dirt. We do not accept plastic bags, construction material and cement or household trash, electronic equipment, stoves, and refrigerators. There is a \$1,000.00 fine if caught dumping these items. A full list of compost rules are posted at the entrance to the site.

**THANK YOU FOR YOUR ASSISTANCE IN  
KEEPING OUR CITY LOOKING NICE!**

### Calendar At-A-Glance

**City Council  
Candidate Forum**  
**Saturday, Oct. 11**  
ValleyGreen  
Square Mall  
ValleyGreen Room  
9:00 a.m.

**City Council  
Meeting**  
**Monday, Oct. 13**  
City Hall  
Council Chambers  
6:30 p.m.

**City Council  
Meeting**  
**Monday, Oct. 27**  
City Hall  
Council Chambers  
6:30 p.m.

## Update from Mayor Bob

This Summer we have seen a number of community members step forward to participate and host community wide events.

Such events and volunteers are what makes a city great. Thank You from all of us for your contributions to the City of Le Sueur.

### Sober Bus Available Saturday, November 1<sup>st</sup> FREE!

Bus running 8:00 p.m. – 1:30 a.m.  
Within Le Sueur City Limits  
Call (507) 665-6211 to  
reserve a ride



You do the Drinking...  
We'll do the Driving!

## October is National Fire Prevention Month

The Le Sueur Fire Department wants to make sure your family is prepared for a fire emergency. Please change batteries and check smoke detectors in your homes monthly, review your family's fire escape plan and talk to your children about the danger of playing with matches. The Le Sueur Fire Department will be out performing smoke detector testing in apartment buildings on Tuesday, October 14<sup>th</sup> starting at 7:00 p.m.



### The Le Sueur Public Library Presents:

“Minnesota was First”

By Arn Kind

**Saturday, October 11<sup>th</sup> • 2:00 p.m.**

Back by popular demand! Arn Kind, our Civil War guest last Winter, will present a fascinating program about the many ways Minnesota was FIRST! FREE!

Refreshments provided by the Friends of the Library.

“Steampunk Magic Show”

**Friday, October 24<sup>th</sup> • 7:00 p.m.**

A super fun and funky program especially for middle/high school kids and adults that love the weird and wacky! It's part magic show, part theatrical cos-play, part comedy club from Robert & Lynn Halbrook's Wacky Wizard Shop. FREE!

Le Sueur Public Library • 118 Ferry Street, Le Sueur

4<sup>th</sup> Annual Le Sueur County  
**SENIOR EXPO**

Thursday, October 16<sup>th</sup>

9:00 a.m. – 11:30 a.m.

**Le Sueur-Henderson High School Commons**

901 Ferry Street, Le Sueur

**FREE!!**

Join us for local vendors, health screenings, and fun!  
Parent Caregivers are encouraged to attend.

**Special Events:**

Round-about Driving Training

Silver Sneakers Demo

Stroke Awareness Presentation

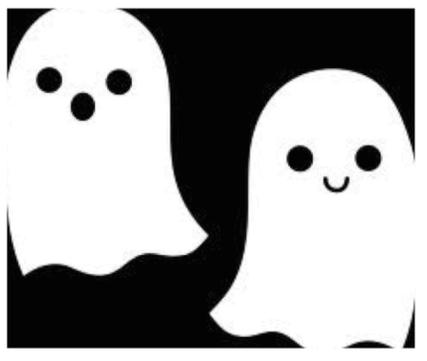
This event is sponsored by: Le Sueur-Henderson Parks & Recreation and Community Education and the Le Sueur Area Chamber of Commerce

## Annual Notice to All Residential Customers

Bills can pile up just like snow. However, the Minnesota Cold Weather Rule is designed to protect people who may have trouble paying their utility bills in winter. A municipal utility must not disconnect and must reconnect the utility service of a residential customer during the period between October 15 and April 15 if the disconnection affects the primary heat source for the residential unit and all of the following conditions are met:

- The household income of the customer is at or below 50 percent of the state median household income. A municipal utility may (i) verify income on forms it provides or (ii) obtain verification of income from the local energy assistance provider. A customer is deemed to meet the income requirements of this clause if the customer receives any form of public assistance, including energy assistance, that uses an income eligibility threshold set at or below 50 percent of the state median household income.
- A customer enters into and makes reasonably timely payments under a payment agreement that considers the financial resources of the household.
- A customer receives referrals to energy assistance, weatherization, conservation, or other programs likely to reduce the customer's energy bills.
- A municipal utility must, between August 15 and October 15 each year, notify all residential customers of the provisions of this section.

Local agencies may be able to provide payment assistance if you have trouble paying your utility bill. The State Department of Human Services recommends you call the county in which you live. If you know you're going to have trouble paying your utility bills, please contact City Hall at (507) 665-6401 to try to work out a payment schedule. We'll try to help.



## Halloween Carnival

**Saturday, October 25<sup>th</sup> • 11:00 a.m. – 1:00 p.m.**

**ValleyGreen Square Mall**

Games, Prizes, Candy, Animal Balloons, Face Painting, Spooky Gallery, Cookie Decorating, Hay Rides and more. All ages welcome! Avoid the waiting line, and buy your tickets early at the Community Center!

**WEAR A COSTUME AND GET A FREE GAME TICKET!**

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