Hope you are safe and healthy. As we remain in Phase III of Governor Walz's COVID plan, Minnesotans did see their Legislature get called back into a Special Session. On last Friday, the Senate voted to end Governor Walz's Peacetime Order while the House voted to keep it in place. This week will be interesting to see how the Legislature’s decision will impact all of us. Per the COVID dashboard our rolling 14-day number is trending downward. Governor and MDH is still calling for Minnesotan’s to wash their hands, social distance, stay home if sick, work from home if you can, and encourage the wearing of a facemask. As bars, restaurants, salons, spas, gyms, entertainment venues, churches, etc. start to open up, just be diligent in what you do and be respectful of others decisions.

Some of you may be wondering if the trailer that was at the park simply moved to Hawks field. That is not the case. The trailer that was parked at Bi-Centennial Park was for the supervisor on the water tower project. The water tower painting is done and the expectation is that the electrical work will be done this week. If all goes well, the new water tower will be operational the end of July or the first week of August. The new 75,000-gallon tower will allow Hamburg to grow. The hope is that through growth we will attract new businesses to town. This would help offset the taxpayer burden carried by the residents.

Now, for the trailer at Hawks Field. Currently, the Hamburg Hawks baseball club has contracted with a group to clean and repair the light fixtures that surround the ballfield. Thanks to the generous support of local businesses and fans the cleaning and repair work will not be paid for by taxpayer dollars. Hamburg is really blessed to have an active and widely followed town ball baseball club.

That said, I asked the Board of the Minnesota Baseball Association to allow the Hamburg Hawks to paly exhibition games at the park. The Board granted my request. The ballfield is large enough to social distance and the club is prepared too. So look for the lights to be on soon and come out to cheer on the Hawks.

Per Parkside’s Facebook page, the bar will be opening on June 16th. Keep checking back to their Facebook page for more updates.

Humbly Serving You -
Mayor Chris Lund
Consumer Confidence Report
Hamburg’s 2019 Drinking Water Results

Your drinking water comes from a groundwater source: two wells that are 620 feet deep, that draw water from the Tunnel City-Wonewoc aquifer. Hamburg works hard to provide you with safe and reliable drinking water that meets federal and state water quality requirements. The purpose of this report is to provide you with information on your drinking water and how to protect our precious water resources.

This report contains our monitoring results from January 1 to December 31, 2019. We work with the Minnesota Department of Health to test drinking water for more than 100 contaminants. Drinking water standards protect Minnesotans from substances that may be harmful to their health.


We are grateful and very thankful for the 15 residents who signed up to participate. The maps will be distributed this week for you to hand out to your shoppers.
If you missed the deadline to get on the map, don’t fret, you can still hold your own sale and the bargain hunters will find you.

“A single act of kindness throws out roots in all directions, and the roots spring up and make new trees” Amelia Earhart

Hamburg History from 1915

Assistant - Ed. E. Scheele - Assistant Depot Agent

If you are interested in local government, you may want to consider the following. There are 2 City Council positions up for election this year. More info. to come.