

**Quarterly Newsletter** 

January, 2025

CITY OF

MAPLE PLAIN

Winter

# Letter from the Mayor



Mayor Julie Maas-Kusske

As I write this, snow falls gently outside, creating a scene reminiscent of a winter snow globe. It's hard to believe another year is coming to an end. Reflecting on 2024, I'm grateful for the remarkable moments and milestones we experienced as a community. This year, we celebrated the 75th anniversary of the West Hennepin Chamber of Commerce, an achievement that highlights the enduring strength of our local business community. The West Hennepin Police Department hosted its Citizens Police Academy, which fostered engagement and understanding between residents and law enforcement. We were fortunate to celebrate the one-year anniversary of Administrator Jacob Kolander. We also welcomed Assistant City Administrator Kevin Larson, Deputy City Clerk Sunny Bjorklund Schultz, and sworn-in Officer Nick Eldred, who brings new energy and dedication to our city team.

The Hennepin County Step to It Challenge showcased our community's active spirit. At the same time, events like Party in the Park, Truck & Treat, and the Maple Plain Fire Department Open House brought neighbors together for fun and connection. Paul Stinson, American Legion Post #514, graciously led the Veterans and Memorial Day services. We celebrated Sergeant Rick Denneson's 35 years of service to public safety and honored Nate Scott's retirement after 31 years with the Maple Plain Fire Department. Lisa Schreier was recognized with the Good Neighbor Award, reminding us of the importance of individual contributions to our shared well-being. Our community also gathered for the 44th View Santa event, a beloved tradition organized by the WHPS Police Reserves. It came together for National Night Out gatherings that strengthened bonds between neighbors. We honored the historic service of Mayor Marvin Johnson, who, after 45 years in public service, concluded his remarkable tenure as the longest-serving mayor in Minnesota. Finally, we thanked Council Member Fay for his outstanding years of dedicated service to our city.

In addition to these milestones, we continued progressing on our street improvement plan. We formed the Citizens Advisory Panel to ensure residents have a voice in shaping our future. As always, we took time to remember and honor those who served and sacrificed, lowering flags in memory of officers Matt Ruge, Paul Elmseth, Jamal Mitchell, firefighter Adam Finseth, and others lost to tragedy.

Looking ahead to 2025, we are excited to carry on cherished traditions, create new ones, and welcome Rochelle Arvizo to the City Council. Maple Plain thrives because of its people. Whether you serve on a commission, volunteer your time, share resources, pick up litter while walking, or show kindness to others, you make our city a better place. On behalf of the City Council and staff, I wish each of you a new year filled with happiness, health, and prosperity. Because of you, Maple Plain is a wonderful place to live, work, and play.

Together, we are better!

Mayor Julie

#### **COMMUNITY NEWS**

#### MAPLE PLAIN RESIDENT ELECTS THEIR 2025 CITY COUNCIL

The general election was held on November 5, 2024, with an impressive voter turnout in Maple Plain, where 1,079 residents cast their ballots, representing 91.7% of registered voters. This strong civic participation highlighted the community's commitment to shaping its future through local leadership. On the ballot were races for Mayor and two city council seats. Julie M. Maas-Kusske was decisively reelected as Mayor, continuing her dedicated service to the city. For the city council, voters reelected incumbent Mike DeLuca and welcomed Rochelle Arvizo, a new face, as Council Member. Their elections reflect the citizens' trust in their leadership and vision.



Mike DeLuca

**Rochelle Arvizo** 



# 2024 Good Neighbor Award Recipient: Lisa Schreier

Lisa Schreier has been an unwavering pillar of dedication to West Hennepin Public Safety Department since 1986, compiling over 38 years of service and contributing tens of thousands of volunteer hours. Her extraordinary commitment and longevity make her the longest-serving member of the department, a distinction that underscores her integral role in its operations and community engagement efforts.

Lisa is a cornerstone of several cherished programs and events that bring the community together. As a passionate advocate and organizer for the View Santa Program, she helps create magical holiday memories for families. Her contributions extend to coordinating and supporting events like Truck & Treat, the Maple Plain Fire Department Open House, Night to Unite, and the Citizens Academy. Her tireless efforts ensure these events run smoothly and foster stronger connections between residents and public safety officials.

Beyond event support, Lisa takes on essential behind-the-scenes responsibilities critical to departmental operations. She handles administrative tasks such as final record checks and report purging, ensuring compliance and accuracy. Additionally, she responds to callouts and assists with traffic control whenever needed, demonstrating her versatility and reliability. Lisa's selfless dedication over nearly four decades exemplifies the very best of public service and community involvement.

### YARD WASTE, BRUSH, & CHRISTMAS TREE COLLECTION

Christmas Trees: Non-artificial (live) Christmas trees are collected free of charge on the first two weeks of January 6th and 13th. Trees need to be set out curbside without bags and must be free of all ornaments, tinsel, garland, and lights. Trees longer than 8 feet must be cut into sections.

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# » PUBLIC SAFETY ««

#### **VIEW SANTA**

On a crisp Saturday evening, in the town's bustling core, Santa set off with a grand roar galore! From Independence City Hall to Maple Plain's Veterans Memorial Park, He spread joy and cheer, lighting up the dark.

With WHPS guiding his bright, shiny sleigh, Saint Nick waved and smiled all along the way. Children and critters, moms and dads too, All saw the magic as Santa came through.

A picture, a wave, a carol, a cheer, "Merry Christmas!" he called, loud for all to hear. It was a sight, oh so grand, oh so neat, A holiday moment that just can't be beat!

Poem by Kevin Larson

#### WEST HENNEPIN PUBLIC SAFETY

MAPLE PLAIN APPLAUDS OFFICER SHAWN EBELING ON BEING PROMOTED TO SERGEANT West Hennepin Public Safety is proud to announce Shawn Ebeling has been promoted as Sergeant for West Hennepin Public Safety Department. After an extensive internal promotional process Sergeant Ebeling was selected to lead our patrol officers. Sergeant Ebeling has 17 years of law enforcement experience. Seven years of service at West Hennepin Public Safety and ten years of service at Cottage Grove Police Department. During his law enforcement career, he has served in a dual role as a police officer and paramedic, investigator, use of force instructor, firearms instructor, drug recognition expert, and field training officer.

Chief Kroells stated, "Our agency is honored to have Shawn Ebeling promoted to Sergeant. His strong leadership and futuristic thinking will lead our agency into the future and professionally serve our citizens".

Sergeant Ebeling stated, "I look forward to my new role as a Sergeant. I am excited to serve our agency, our dedicated police officers and the citizens of Maple Plain and Independence."

## **ADAM RUBIN**



MAPLE PLAIN FIRE DEPARTMENT

On January 6th, 2025 Adam Rubin will be coming off of his probationary firefighter status to become a paid-on-call firefighter with the Maple Plain Fire Department.

To become a full member of MPFD, all recruits must undergo a year-long probationary period that includes over 380 hours of training! Adam has completed his training and is now certified in Firefighter I, Firefighter II, HazMat Operations, Incident Command, and Emergency Medical Responder.

The Maple Plain Fire Department would like to congratulate and thank Adam for all his hard work and dedication to his community! We look forward to having Adam as an established member of the department for years to come!

Chief Denneson stated, "Adam has become a valuable asset to our team. He brings reliability, dependability, and knowledge as his tools to serve our community. I am glad to have him as a part of our team!"

MAPLE PLAIN FIRE DEPARMENT OFFICIALLY WELCOMES

> ADAM RUBIN

Firefighter Rubin stated, "It is a great honor to officially become part of a wonderful organization!"

# SHAWN EBELING



## **COMMUNITY NEWS**

## The City of Maple Plain Welcomes Sunny Bjorklund Schultz



On November 25, the Maple Plain City Council officially appointed Sunny Bjorklund Schultz as the permanent Deputy City Clerk with a unanimous and enthusiastic vote. This decision reflects the council's confidence in her exceptional qualifications and commitment to public service. Bjorklund Schultz brings decades of extensive experience in municipal and county government, encompassing a wide range of roles in compliance administration, city administration, and financial management. Her career highlights include serving as a Director of Finance and overseeing critical city operations, showcasing her expertise in leadership, problem-solving, and organizational development.

Bjorklund Schultz's proven track record of dedication and excellence in public administration makes her uniquely qualified for this important role. Her deep understanding of the complexities of local government operations will undoubtedly strengthen the City of Maple Plain's administrative team. The council and staff are confident that her contributions will continue to benefit the city and its residents for years to come.

## BECOME A MEMBER OF THE WEST HENNEPIN CHAMBER OF COMMERCE (WHCC)



Businesses, individuals, and non-profits are encouraged to join WHCC. Membership benefits include various networking opportunities, ribbon cutting for new business and/or new members, use of the bulk rate mailing permit, exposure in the business directory, business resources from the MN Chamber of Commerce, and exclusive sponsorship opportunities. For more information, contact WHCC President Shannon Strom at (952)707-8293, <u>sstrom@kainsurance</u> or http://www.whcc-mn.org/

### **ORONO COMMUNITY EDUCATION**

Community Education meets needs that fall outside of the **Community Education** traditional K-12 program. Through Community Education, community members of all ages can utilize their public school facilities for lifelong learning and programs that greatly enhance the quality of life in our area. Funding for these programs is mostly fee

based with a small amount of levy dollars dedicated to specific programs such as Early Childhood Family Education (ECFE) and classes for English Language Learners. Community Education programs contribute money back to the school district general fund for utilities, custodial costs, etc. For more information, contact us at 952-449-8350 or ceinfo@orono.k12.mn.us or visit https://ce.oronoschools.org/



#### "Keeping Seniors Connected With Their Community" **DELANO SENIOR CENTER**

The Delano Senior Center is open to everyone, regardless of age or where you live! They offer a wide variety of services designed to enrich your life and connect you with others. Our programs include educational workshops, daily lunch served at noon, exercise classes to help you stay active, and special-interest groups where you can explore hobbies and passions. We also have games and activities for social fun, as well as day trips around the region to keep things exciting. Looking to give back? There are plenty of volunteer opportunities available. Whether you're here to learn, socialize, or get involved in the community, we have something for everyone. Stop by today to discover how you can join in, or call us at (763) 972-0574 for more information!

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# >>> PUBLIC WORKS <

# **SNOW AND ICE MANAGEMENT**



Snowflakes add beauty and joy to Minnesota's winter landscape, but they also create slippery conditions. The deicing products we use to treat ice often wash into our lakes, streams, wetlands, and groundwater as the snow melts. Common deicers like salt can pollute our waterways—just one teaspoon of salt permanently contaminates five gallons of water. These chemicals harm aquatic life, damage infrastructure, injure vegetation, and even hurt the paws of our pets.

To minimize these impacts, start by shoveling snow before it turns to ice. The more snow you remove manually, the less deicer you'll need. In many cases, sunlight can handle the rest. If you use salt, focus only on high-traffic areas. Remember, a small amount goes a long way—only 1 to 4 pounds (roughly 1 to 4 coffee mugs) of salt is needed per 1,000 square feet.

Keep in mind that salt becomes less effective as temperatures drop.

When pavement temperatures are below 15°F, salt won't work, so avoid using it. Other deicing products may work at lower temperatures but come with their own environmental concerns. Use all deicers sparingly, and once the snow and ice have cleared, sweep up any leftover materials. By planning ahead and being patient, we can stay safe during winter while protecting our environment.

As a reminder, winter parking restrictions are in effect Nov 1st - Apr 15th. There is no parking on city streets 1am - 7am, snow or no snow.



# WATER LEAK DETECTION

Water leaks in your home can waste hundreds of gallons, increasing your water bill for water you're not even using. Identifying leaks early can save both water and money. One simple method to check for leaks is by inspecting your water meter.

- 1. Make sure no water is being used in your house, including appliances like dishwashers and washing machines.
- 2.Locate your water meter and look for a small red pinwheel on the face, which is a common feature on Badger meters.

If the pinwheel is moving, it indicates water is flowing through the meter even though no water should be in use. This movement confirms a leak. Addressing leaks quickly is essential to prevent further water loss and higher utility costs. For additional tips and guidance on detecting and resolving leaks, visit the Maple Plain Public Works website at

www.mapleplain.com/departments/PublicWorks/checking-for-leaks



# THE CITY OF MAPLE PLAIN IS REBRANDING – WE NEED YOUR INPUT!

The Maple Plain City Council has established a committee to redesign the city logo and develop consistent standards for signage and imagery throughout the community. The new logo will reflect the city's identity, values, and vision for the future.

We would like to invite you to participate in shaping this important project. During the first week of February, the rebranding committee will conduct a survey online and in person at City Hall. More details will follow later in January.

Your input is vital to this process, and we sincerely appreciate your participation. Thank you for helping us create a logo that truly represents Maple Plain. We look forward to unveiling the final design soon!

# MAPLE PLAIN HONORS JOHN FAY FOR 12 YEARS OF DEDICATED PUBLIC SERVICE



John Fay's commitment to public service has been extraordinary, reflecting his unwavering dedication to the Maple Plain community for over a decade. Fay's 12 years of service exemplify a purposeful and impactful life devoted to improving the lives of others. His public service journey began with four years on the Maple Plain Planning Commission, where he played a vital role in shaping the city's growth and development. He continued this work with eight years on the City Council, where he contributed countless hours to researching, preparing, and making informed decisions that advanced the community's best interests.

Fay's leadership has been defined by his forward-thinking approach, resilience in facing challenges, and meticulous attention to detail. Beyond his council responsibilities, Fay served in various key roles, including on the watershed, fire commission, finance committee, personnel committee, and as a dedicated member of Rotary. His tireless efforts extended to numerous other initiatives, all aimed at fostering a stronger, more vibrant Maple Plain.

On December 16th, the City of Maple Plain gathered to honor and bid farewell to Council Member John Fay. The event featured speeches and heartfelt tributes, acknowledging his remarkable contributions and celebrating the profound legacy he leaves behind. Fay's years of dedicated service have made an indelible impact on the community he so deeply cares for.



#### **2024 DONATIONS RECEIVED**

On December 16th, the Maple Plain City Council approved and officially accepted donations totaling \$24,050 for the year 2024. These generous contributions, provided by community supporters, are a testament to the dedication and goodwill of those committed to enhancing the city's programs and services. The funds will be allocated to specific community programs and services as outlined by the donors or used for other public purposes deemed appropriate by the city. These initiatives aim to improve the quality of life for residents and support the city's ongoing efforts to create a vibrant, inclusive, and thriving community.

The council expressed its sincere gratitude to all donors for their generosity and continued investment in the community's well-being. This formal acceptance process requires a two-thirds majority vote of the governing body to approve the receipt of donations. By following this procedure, the council ensures transparency and accountability in managing public funds and maintaining public trust. These contributions highlight the strong partnership between the city and its supporters, working together to achieve shared goals and deliver meaningful impacts for all residents of Maple Plain.







### APPROVES THE REVISIONS TO THE WEST HENNEPIN PUBLIC SAFETY JOINT POWERS AGREEMENT

On December 16, 2024, the City Council approved revisions to the West Hennepin Public Safety (WHPS) Joint Powers Agreement, reaffirming the City of Maple Plain's commitment to maintaining strong partnerships in public safety. The updated agreement sets a new framework for the continued delivery of essential safety services, now establishing a five-year initial contract term with an automatic three-year renewal period. These adjustments provide both stability and flexibility, enabling the Cities and WHPS to collaborate effectively while accommodating future needs.

The revised agreement reflects Maple Plain's proactive approach to ensuring public safety remains a top priority for the community. By solidifying this partnership, the City can leverage shared resources and expertise, enhancing response capabilities and ensuring the efficient use of public funds. The automatic renewal feature streamlines the administrative process, reducing the need for frequent renegotiations while allowing for periodic evaluations to ensure the partnership remains aligned with community needs and expectations.

This decision underscores the City Council's dedication to fostering safe, secure, and thriving neighborhoods. Through the WHPS partnership, Maple Plain demonstrates its commitment to the safety and well-being of residents, preparing for the future while building on a strong foundation of trust and collaboration with regional public safety efforts.



On 12/16/24, the City Council held the Truth in Taxation meeting. ABDO Finance presented the 2025 budget details, and subsequently, the city conducted a public hearing for the Truth in Taxation. After careful deliberation, the Council set the 2025 levy at \$1,886,434, an increase of \$132,233 or 7.54% from 2024.

Since the budget process started in May, city staff has reviewed each line item in the budget and adjusted several line items accordingly. The majority of the increase is directly related to the initial maintenance for the 2024 street construction bond. The general fund only increased 0.14% from 2024.

Throughout October and November, the City Council diligently worked through the budget to prepare for the Truth-in-Taxation meeting. The final certification of the levy was sent to Hennepin County.

### ORGANIC RECYCLING

In 2018, Hennepin County passed Ordinance 13 for handling organic waste. Cities must offer organic recycling to all households that have curbside recycling services. The recycling ordinance aims to help the environment by reducing waste and recycling as much as possible. Diverting organic materials, like food scraps and yard waste, is one of the best ways to reduce trash. A waste study by Hennepin County found that organic materials make up 25-35% of what we throw away. Increasing organic waste collection is a major step toward reaching the county's zero-waste and climate action goals, which aim to keep 90% of waste out of landfills or incinerators. Cities must offer organic recycling, and state law mandates that all residents have access to this service.

Organic recycling is a voluntary program that collects food scraps and other compostable materials. There is an additional yearly fee to participate. Although households are not required to participate in organics recycling, starting January 1st, 2025 Maple Plain has a public organics drop-off site with a dumpster provided by Republic Services near the Public Works building (1645 Pioneer Ave.).

# CITY COUNCIL APPROVES AMENDMENT TO ORDINANCE 332 AN ORDINANCE AMENDING MAPLE PLAIN CITY CODE TO REQUIRE THAT THERE ARE NO DELINQUENT TAXES AND CHARGES FOR THE GRANTING OF A BUILDING PERMIT OR LICENSE

The Ordinance amends Maple Plain City Code Chapters 3 and 4 to prohibit the granting or renewal of a building permit or license for any premises on which taxes, assessments, utility charges, service charges, or other financial claims of the City are delinquent and unpaid.

A printed copy of the entire Ordinance is available for inspection and copying at the Maple Plain City Hall located at 5050 Independence St., Maple Plain, Minnesota, 55359.

# CITY COUNCIL APPROVES AMENDMENT TO ORDINANCE 331 AN ORDINANCE AMENDING MAPLE PLAIN CITY CODE REGARDING ZONING RELATED TO CANNABIS BUSINESSES

The ordinance amends Maple Plain's Zoning Code to establish comprehensive regulations for cannabis businesses, addressing their definitions, permitted zoning districts, and operational standards. Under the amendment, most cannabis businesses are designated to the Industrial district and lower-potency hemp edible retailers are limited to the Gateway district. Additional provisions include buffer zones to protect sensitive areas such as schools, parks, and residential neighborhoods, and caps on the number of retail establishments. These measures ensure the city maintains regulatory oversight while accommodating state-mandated allowances for cannabis businesses.

The ordinance reflects recommendations from the Planning Commission, emphasizing the importance of initial protections for schools and parks and allowing for future adjustments as the cannabis industry evolves. The Commission endorsed maintaining cannabis businesses within industrial zones to minimize neighborhood disruptions while limiting low-potency hemp edible retailers to three locations. The amendment also includes a registration process to supplement state licensing, providing the city with greater control over local cannabis operations. These thoughtful regulations aim to balance community concerns with economic opportunities introduced by the cannabis industry.

# MAPLE PLAIN CITY COUNCIL APPROVES A MINOR SUBDIVISION TO ALLOW THE EXISTING SITE TO BE SPLIT INTO TWO PROPERTIES

On 11/25/24, the City Council of Maple Plain has approved a minor subdivision request to split the property at 5370 Highway 12 into two separate lots. Key details include:

- Application Review: The property, owned by Outcome Limited Partnership and applied for by Jake Saufley, meets all zoning and subdivision requirements for its Mixed-Use Budd Avenue (MU-B) zoning designation.
- 2. Public Hearing: A public hearing was held on November 7, 2024, as required by law, to review the request.
- 3. Approval Conditions: The applicant must:
  - a. Revise and provide updated surveys, legal descriptions, and easements for both lots.
  - b.Submit amended stormwater maintenance and shared access agreements for the City Attorney's review and approval.
  - c. Obtain all necessary permits from local, state, and other regulatory agencies.
  - d. Pay all City review costs.
  - e. Record the subdivision within 180 days of approval.

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# Maple Plain RECYCLING COLLECTION CALENDAR



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# We Recycle! (Do Not Bag Your Recyclables)



Plastics Bottles & Jugs Water, soda and juice bottles, dish soap bottles, shampoo bottles, soap and lotion bottles, and detergent jugs (empty and clean/rinse, and dry; caps on)



Milk cartons, juice cartons, juice boxes and soup and broth cartons (empty and clean/rinse, and dry; caps on)



Plastics Cups & Containers Yogurt cups, pudding and fruit cups, clear disposable cups (no straws), margarine/whipped cream tubs, cottage cheese and similar containers, clear produce, deli and take-out containers (empty and rinse; lids on)

Paper

Mail, office and school papers, magazines

and catalogs, newspapers and inserts,

phone books (clean; staples OK)



Boxes (Flattened) Cardboard, cereal, cracker, pasta and tissue boxes, shoe, gift and electronics boxes, toothpaste and other toiletry boxes

Metal Food and beverage cans (empty and rinse; labels OK)



Glass Brown, green and clear bottles and jars (empty and rinse; no lids)

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Twin Cities Customer Service: 763.972.3335 | RepublicServices.com

**Organics** Recycling Guide



# All food



- Fruits and vegetables
- Meat, fish, and bones
- Cheese, yogurt, and other dairy products and non-dairy alternatives
- · Eggs and egg shells
- · Pasta, beans, and rice
- Bread and cereal
- Nuts and shells

# Certified compostable products





Look for the BPI logo on certified products. Only items with this logo are accepted.

# Food-soiled paper



- Pizza boxes from delivery
- Napkins and paper towels
- Paper egg cartons

# Other compostable household items



- Coffee grounds and filters
- · Cotton swabs with paper stems
- · Hair and nail clippings
- Houseplants and flowers
- Chopsticks, toothpicks, and popsicle sticks

Not accepted: Glass • plastic and Styrofoam<sup>™</sup> • food wrappers • produce stickers • diapers • animal waste • products not certified compostable

#### City News

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**Regular City Meeting Schedule City Council Workshops** Second and Fourth Mondays at 5:30 pm

**City Council Business Meeting** Fourth Monday at 7:00 pm

**Economic Development Authority** Second Monday at 7:00 pm

**Planning Commission** First Thursday at 6:00 pm

For the most up-to-date meeting calendar as well as agendas, meeting packets, and minutes, visit:

#### www.mapleplain.com/calendar

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#### **Public Works**

PeopleService 24/7 763-479-9250

#### **Public Safety**

Emergency	911
Maple Plain Fire Department	763-479-0520
West Hennepin Public Safety	763-479-0500

#### **Other Frequently Called Phone Numbers**

Delano Senior Center	763-972-0574
Maple Plain Library	612-543-5700
Maple Plain Post Office	763-479-1514

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#### **City Council**

Maple Plain is a Statutory "Plan B" City, with a part-time Mayor and City Council empowered by law to legislate city-wide policy and a full-time City Administrator who serves as chief executive. All Council members serve at large to represent the entire community, residents may contact any one of them to express concerns and opinions. Mayor and Council members are elected in November of even-numbered years for four-year staggered terms.













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#### Mayor

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#### **Community Calendar**

- Jan 1 New Year's Day (city offices closed)
- Jan 6 City Council Swearing-in Ceremony
- Jan 20 Martin Luther King Day (city offices closed)
- Jan 20 Presidential Inauguration Day
- Jan 29 Lunar New Year
- Feb 9 NFL Super Bowl
- Feb 14 Valentine's Day
- Feb 17 Presidents Day (city offices closed)
- Mar 5 Ash Wednesday
- **Daylight Saving Time Starts** Mar 9
- Mar 17 St. Patrick's Day