



MEMO

To: Mayor Teske – Common Council
From: Daron J Haugh – City Administrator
Subject: City of Mauston City Wide Garage Sales
Date: 2026-08-11

Recommendation: Authorize City administration staff to coordinate and promote the 2027 City-Wide Garage Sale event, with the goal of creating a more organized, well-publicized, and visitor-friendly community event.

Historically, the Chamber hosted and coordinated Mauston's City-Wide Garage Sale event each August. Since the Chamber dissolved more than three years ago, there has not been a consistent organization responsible for coordinating or promoting the event. Because this is an annual event with strong potential to bring visitors into Mauston over a three-day period, I am requesting Council support for City administrative staff to coordinate the 2027 City-Wide Garage Sale. With Council's support, staff could help make the event more organized, better promoted, and more comprehensive, improving the experience for residents while also helping draw more visitors to the community.