



SCRAP TIRE DROP OFF

In last month's newsletter we notified you that residents from the City of Norway and Norway Township will be eligible to dispose of old car or small truck tires at the Dickinson County Solid Waste Facility located off US 2 in Quinnesec. The program will be available through a grant from the Michigan Department of Environmental Quality. Dumpsters will be delivered by GAD to the facility in a couple of weeks. Once the dumpsters have been delivered the facility will start receiving the old tires. The cities of Kingsford and Iron Mountain as well as the Townships of Waucedah and Breitung are also participating in the program. You will need to have to have a picture ID along with your tax bill to verify your residence. Each municipality was awarded an overall maximum dollar amount with each tire charged to the grant at \$2.



The tax bill is necessary to adequately and equitably apply each tire received against the amount for each municipality. The dumpsters will remain until the grant totals are reached. As soon as we know a start date a notice will be published on Channel 7, city's web page, and facebook page. You can also call the DCSWM Facility at 774-5680.

BURN PERMITS

The City issues burn permits to City of Norway residents based on the MDNR regulations. The MDNR has currently issued a ban on burn permits due to the extremely dry ground conditions. Until we get an appreciable amount of rain, permits will not be issued. Township residents must get their burn permits through the DNR. Check the DNR website at www.michigan.gov/dnr and type in "burn permits" in the search bar. The burn permit map is available for all counties in Michigan. Again, Dickinson County is currently restricted from all open burning. City of Norway and Norway Township residents can take their brush, leaves or grass to the Norway Area Compost Site located off Oak Crest Drive. Residential debris only (*no contractors, even if it's coming from a residential property*). Under normal conditions all open burning requires a burn permit. In the City of Norway fire pits are regulated under ordinance number 388.



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Summer Residential Sewer Credit

CITY OF NORWAY
Residential Sewer Credit Application
June, July & August 2018

Date: _____

Name: _____
Name on Utility Account

Address _____

Physical Address

Credit is effective June 1, 2018 and goes thru August 31, 2018. This credit is based on your average consumption for the months of September thru May. Water charges will remain as charged on your city utility bill.

Cut out and return to City Hall.



Music In The Park 2018

Hello Music Fans! Norway Music in the Park is pleased to announce our 2018 summer concert series line-up! Some reminders: All concerts run Thursday evenings from 7:00-8:30 p.m. at the Band Shell on Main Street. In case of rain, we will do concerts in the conference room in the lower level of the Norway City Hall right next to the band shell. Here is the schedule for 2018:

- June 14: Black Pearl
- June 21: Norton and Chartier
- June 28: Derrell Syria Project
- July 5: MoJo
- July 12: Phil Lynch Quartet
- July 19: Cadillacs
- July 26: Local Brew
- Aug 2: Carolyn Jo & Company
- Aug 9: Flagship Romance
- Aug 16: Music Jar



Norway City Wide Rummage Sale Saturday, May 19th.
Register at Northern Interstate Bank and Norway City Hall. Maps available day before event at both locations.





Outdoor Fire Pits

With the start of summer the city hall staff has taken a number of calls concerning outdoor recreational fires or more commonly known as “outdoor fire pits”. This has become extremely popular for residents to have campfires in their back yard. There is a city ordinance (*Ord. No. 388, 1-4-2010*) governing or legislating this activity which people need to be aware of and adhere to. The reasons are for public safety and to avoid a public nuisance with the smoke.

Here are the basics governing or regulating outdoor fire pits:

- Campfires must be in contained fire pits that are 48 inches or less in diameter
- Can only burn wood and paper (**Do NOT burn leaves!!**)
- Flames must not exceed three feet in height.
- The campfire shall be not less than 15 feet from any wood-frame structure and not less than ten feet from any fence, tree, hedge or property line
- adequate provision must be made to prevent fire from spreading with all combustible material removed from the area
- All campfires shall be under the direct and constant supervision and control of a person at least 18 years of age
- The fire or smoke must not create a nuisance to the general public (your neighbors)
- If the city requests that a fire be extinguished for an alleged violation of this *section*, the person shall promptly extinguish the fire.



The ordinance can be viewed in its entirety on the city's web page at www.norwaymi.gov.

Energy Savings Are Coming To Your Neighborhood

Saving energy is always worth celebrating. So we've created a holiday.

Join us at the Norway City Hall, Thursday, May 24th from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. for a Day of Energy Savings!

Take advantage of these limited-time offers on energy-saving lighting products, including:
40w or 60w LED bulbs: \$1, 60w LED six-pack: \$5
100w: \$2, Flood LED \$3

The Efficiency United team will be on-hand with information on more ways to save energy and money in your home. Supplies are limited, so come early to ensure you don't miss the opportunity for savings. These special prices are available only to Michigan residential customers of participating Efficiency United energy providers. For more information on Efficiency United, visit efficiencyunited.com or call 877.367.3191.



Norway Spring is now OPEN



Norway Area Compost Site

The Norway Area compost site is now open and available for both Norway City and Township residents **only!!!** The site is currently open on a 24/7 basis now for the benefit and convenience of our residents provided the following rules are followed:

- Follow Signs and deposit in designated areas
- Grass Clippings and Leaves (NO BAGS!!)
- Brush must be under 2 inch diameter (NO Stumps)
- Residents only

Unapproved uses include the following:

- No Contractors (residential only- *this includes contractors hired by residents to remove trees and brush*).
- No Construction Material or household trash
- No brush over 4 inches in diameter, stumps, full trees, trash, & bags.



Compost site will remain open as long as we do not have any issues with illegal dumping. If illegal dumping occurs, we will close down 24/7 access.

As a reminder, there will be no Spring Curb Pick-up. Please do not place or cut your yard clippings into the street or place your yard clippings, brush, or rubbish on the boulevard as no one will be picking them up. Doing so will constitute littering.



Memorial Day Parade begins at 10:30am
Followed by Ceremony at Cemetery 11:00 am

THANK YOU !