



# City of Norway

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## CENSUS 2020 - STAND UP AND BE COUNTED!!!

The 2020 Census activities have now started. Every 10 years the federal government commissions each state to perform census activities to collect demographic information on its citizens. The information collected will be used by both the state and federal government to manage social programs in the way of subsistence and grants for the community. The type of information typically collected include residency, population, gender, ethnic background, and income. It is extremely important that if called upon we participate or state and federal money could be lost to the local community or individuals.

In preparation for the upcoming 2020 census, staff will begin operations on January 16th and continue through March 30. Census employees will be working in neighborhoods, knocking on doors, conducting surveys in order to verify addresses and gather household information. Census employees can be identified by their laptop and black canvas bag with a census bureau logo on the top, as well as a photo identification card. Information on the census can be found at [becountedmi2020.com](http://becountedmi2020.com) or contact City Hall.

## TAX DEADLINE EXTENDED

Deadline for payment of winter real and personal property taxes collected by the city of Norway are EXTENDED from February 18, 2020 to March 2, 2020 without penalty. Real property taxes are subsequently due to the County Treasurer as of March 3, 2020 with the imposition of a 4% penalty. City of Norway staff will continue to collect personal property taxes as of March 3, 2020 with penalties charged accordingly.

## COMPLAINTS AT STRAWBERRY LAKE

We have recently received a number of complaints at Strawberry Lake regarding people letting their dogs run off the leash and/or not picking up after them. Just a reminder per Ordinance #391, dogs must be on a leash or in a fence. Keep your dog on a leash especially when you walk them in the public like at Strawberry Lake, Hanbury Lake, or Marion Park. You may have a wonderful, friendly dog that loves everyone or any other dog. I may not and if your dog runs up to meet mine and my dog attacks yours (while on a leash), I would feel bad but not responsible since your dog is loose. Also per Ordinance #391, pick up after your dog if it defecates on public property. This includes sidewalks, boulevards, parks or any other public places. Due to the increase in reported violations, tickets will be issued.

## MARCH 10, 2020 PRESIDENTIAL PRIMARY

Michigan Voter Information Center

*Your source for Michigan election information*

Visit [Michigan.gov/vote](http://Michigan.gov/vote) to:

- ◆ View your sample ballot
- ◆ Find out if you are registered to vote
- ◆ Find your voting location
- ◆ Track your absentee ballot
- ◆ And much more!



Dickinson County Area Homeless Shelter  
906-282-5860

### A Winter Emergency Shelter-With Meals is Available!

- February 9-15 Mt. Olive Lutheran, Iron Mountain
- February 16-22 Our Saviours Lutheran, Iron Mountain
- February 23-29 Norway Covenant, Norway
- March 1-7 Trinity United Methodist, Iron Mountain
- March 8-14 First Covenant, Iron Mountain
- March 15-21 Redemption Hill, Kingsford
- March 22-28 St.Mary/St. Barbara, Norway

Monday thru Friday 3pm to 9pm  
Weekends 9am to 9pm

## ICE RINK OPEN



Weather Permitting!! CLOSED during subzero temperatures

Ice Skates are available for FREE! Please donate your new/used skates. Drop-off at City Hall or warming shelter at rink. In need of adult hockey skates, size 6 and above!



**No Parking on streets  
3am to 7am**

**You will be ticketed,  
Nov. 1 - Apr.1**

**NO warnings will be issued.**



**LIMITED TIME OFFER FROM THE CITY OF NORWAY  
2020 SPRING TREE PLANTING  
HAVE A TREE PLANTED IN YOUR BOULEVARD!!!**



\*\*planting date subject to change at the sole discretion of the City of Norway\*\*  
\*\*City may substitute any tree type due to supply and demand this spring\*\*

Details are as follows:

- Six (6) Forester recommended types of trees – based on availability
- Up to 2" diameter tree
- Refunds given only if boulevard location is inadequate or other problems arise.
- Customers within city limits purchasing trees for planting in their yards will be responsible for planting, the city will deliver
- Complete and return order form and payment in full to Norway City Hall by March 20, 2020
- City of Norway does not guarantee trees purchased: Customers are responsible for care and upkeep of trees.

For more information please contact Norway City Hall at 906-563-9961

**Tree Type 1 - \$160.00 per tree**



Burgandy Belle Red Maple 2"  
35' to 50' Mature Height  
Tree Habit: Dark Green/Fall Color  
Quantity Purchased \_\_\_\_\_

**Tree Type 2 - \$160.00 per tree**



Autumn Blaze Maple 2"  
45' to 50' Mature Height  
Tree Habit: Spreading Oval, Fall Color  
Quantity Purchased \_\_\_\_\_

**Tree Type 3 - \$160.00 per tree**



Accolade Elm 2"  
40' to 50' Mature Height  
Tree Habit: Fast Growing, Spring Flowers  
Quantity Purchased \_\_\_\_\_

**Tree Type 4 - \$165.00 per tree**



Royal Red Maple 2"  
30' to 40' Mature Height  
Tree Habit: Shade, Reddish Bronze  
Quantity Purchased \_\_\_\_\_

**Tree Type 5 - \$155.00 per tree**



Washington Select Hawthorne 2"  
25' to 30' Mature Height  
Tree Habit: Green, Flowering/ Fall Berry  
Quantity Purchased \_\_\_\_\_

**Tree Type 6 - \$160.00 per tree**



Corinthian Little Leaf Linden 2"  
30' to 50' Mature Height  
Tree Habit: Shade, Yellow Fall Color, Fragrant Flwr.  
Quantity Purchased \_\_\_\_\_

**ORDER DEADLINE FRIDAY, MARCH 20TH, 2020 to GUARANTEE PLANT TYPE REQUESTS  
TENTATIVE PLANTING DATE FIRST WEEK OF MAY 2020**

PRINT NAME: \_\_\_\_\_ PHONE # \_\_\_\_\_

ADDRESS: \_\_\_\_\_

TREE LOCATION IF DIFFERENT FROM PRIMARY RESIDENCE \_\_\_\_\_

CITY, STATE, ZIP: \_\_\_\_\_ DATE: \_\_\_\_\_

\*\*See City's website or stop by City Hall for full report by Otto Jacob, local forester\*\*  
Please contact Otto Jacob @ 906-282-0320 with questions on care & maintenance of trees.

**Don't Forget!!**



**March 8, 2020**

**DOG TAGS**

**Available \$10 each**  
Must Show Valid  
Proof of Rabies  
Vaccination.  
Tags will be available at City  
Hall thru March 1st.



**UTILITY BILL PAYMENT** Utility bills for the City of

Norway can be paid at the Northern Interstate Bank of Norway, or at the branch located in Pat's Food's. We also have two drop boxes for payments (*no cash please!*) a walk up box located in front of City Hall and a drive-up box in the alley behind City Hall.

Credit card payments and automatic payments are also accepted. Just contact City Hall at 906-563-9961 to Sign up!