

VILLAGE OF FARWELL

SPRING 2022 NEWSLETTER

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villageoffarwell.org to make payments, view updates, etc.

Interested in receiving text messages and alerts from the Village of Farwell for instances like road closures, office closures, and water advisories? If so, stop in to the office to fill out a form!

Make sure to follow us on Facebook!



Looking for vendors for the Village of Farwell Farmer's Market. Call the office at 989-588-9926 for more info!

RECYCLING REMINDER

There is a recycle bin located at the Department of Public Works Building for residents to use. However, there has been recent issues with the bin being used for household waste products.

Please do not place anything but recyclable items in this bin!

Recyclable Items		
Materials	Example Items	How to Prepare
Plastic Bottles	Milk jugs, shampoo bottles, food containers.	Rinse Clean & Remove Lids
Clear & Brown Glass	Jam jars, beverage containers.	Rinse Clean & Remove Lids
Aluminum & Tin	Aluminum foil, pie tins, food trays, aerosol cans.	Rinse Clean & Empty Aerosol Cans
Cardboard	Cereal boxes, pizza boxes, brown paper bags.	Remove tape, cellophane, etc. & Flatten/Breakdown
Newspaper/Magazines	Newspapers, magazines, flyers.	Remove clips, staples, rubber bands etc.
Office Paper	Office paper, ruled paper, envelopes.	Remove clips, staples, rubber bands, etc.

UPCOMING OFFICE CLOSURES & TRASH PICK-UP DATES

The Village Office and DPW will be closed Friday, April 15th in observance of Good Friday.

The Village Office and DPW will be closed Monday, May 30th in observance of Memorial Day. Trash pick-up will not take place on Monday, May 30th but will be picked up on Tuesday, May 31st!

The Village Office and DPW will be closed Monday, July 4th in observance of Independence Day. Trash pick-up will not take place on Monday, July 4th but will be picked up on Tuesday, July 5th!

UPCOMING COMMUNITY EVENTS

- ✓ Saturday, April 9th: Easter Eggstravaganza in the Farwell Park. Registration starts at 10:30am!
- ✓ Saturday, April 16th: Paula Pirnstill Memorial Health Fair at the Farwell High School. 10am – 2pm.
- ✓ Saturday, April 30th: Farwell Little League Opening Day!
- ✓ Saturday, May 7th: Farwell Farmer's Market Opening Day! 9am – 2pm.
- ✓ Saturday, May 28th: Figure 8 Derby at the Farwell Fairgrounds. 7:30pm.
- ✓ Monday, May 30th: Memorial Day Service in the Farwell Park. Time: TBA.

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YARD & BRUSH REMOVAL POLICY

Yard Waste/Brush may be disposed monthly from April 1st thru November 30th

Brush will be picked up on the 2nd Wednesday, and/or as needed.

Yard Waste will be picked up on the 3rd Wednesday, and/or as needed.

WEATHER PERMITTING!!

Yard Waste

All yard waste must be separated from general refuse and brush, and placed within two feet from the curb or road.

Yard Waste includes:

- ✓ Grass Clippings
- ✓ Garden Waste
- ✓ Leaves
- ✓ Trimmings from shrubs or brushes

For best clean up, place yard waste in a single row along the curb/road instead of piles.

Brush

Branches and trimmings will be picked up with the exception of limbs over six inches in diameter and/or 10 feet in length.

Residents that have trees removed MUST make arrangements for the disposal of the branches, wood, and tree stumps. Residents are responsible for the COMPLETE clean up.

**If you have not complied with this policy, the DPW will not pick up the yard waste or brush. Instead they will leave a tag on your door stating why they did not pick up the waste/brush. The resident will have a maximum of two weeks to fix the issue, otherwise the resident could be subject to a fine. The Village's goal with this policy is to avoid unnecessary damage to your property and/or the Village equipment.



VILLAGE OF FARWELL ORDINANCE NUMBER 2019-04



The Village of Farwell Ordinance #2019-04, an amendment from Ordinance #1993-5, states that any weeds, grass or deleterious unhealthful growths or other noxious matter which are higher than 8 inches in height after May 1st may be cut by representatives of the Village Council. All charges shall be due and payable by said owner.

VILLAGE OF FARWELL CLARE COUNTY, MI YARD, ATTIC, RUMMAGE, AND BASEMENT SALES. ORDINANCE NO. 80

AN ORDINANCE TO REGULATE YARD SALES, ATTIC SALES, RUMMAGE SALES, AND BASEMENT SALES.

THE FARWELL VILLAGE COUNCIL ORDAINS:

SECTION I

It shall be unlawful to conduct a garage sale, yard sale, attic sale, rummage sale, basement sale, or any similar sale without a permit issued by the Village Clerk. The sale shall be for no longer than three (3) days and no more than three (3) times a year. All signs advertising the sale shall have the sellers name, address and dates of the sale. The signs may be picked up after the five (5) day period. Failure to comply will result in the possible denial of future permits.

Any violation of, or any failure to comply with the provisions of this ordinance shall be deemed a misdemeanor and shall be punishable by a fine not to exceed one hundred dollars (\$100.00) or by imprisonment not to exceed ninety (90) days or both.