



CITY OF HARTFORD

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Additional Info on Website

Important Upcoming Dates:

April 15 th	Hydrant Flush (All week)
April 22 nd	City Council Meeting at 5:30pm
April 22 nd -May 3 rd	Leaf and Brush Pick-up
April 24 th	Large Junk Pick-up
May 20 th	City Council Meeting at 5:30pm
May 27 th	City Hall Closed for Memorial Day
June 6 th -8 th	Strawberry Festival
June 24 th	City Council Meeting at 5:30pm
July 1 st	Summer Taxes will be Mailed
July 4 th & 5 th	City Hall Closed for 4 th of July
July 27 th	Early Voting for August Primary Opens at the Van Buren County West Building- 57418 Co Rd 681, Hartford, MI 49057 at 8:00am – Register to vote at www.michigan.gov/vote

Concerts in the Park

Concerts in the Park kick off June 6th and continue every Thursday until the last Thursday in August. Concerts begin at 7pm.

Going on a Trip?

- Notify the Police Department before you go
- Forgot to pay the water bill? Go to Allpaid.com code 9267
- See something on your Ring/Security Camera- Call 911 or non-emergency 269-621-3225

City Officials

Mayor	Richard Hall
Mayor pro-tem	John Miller
Commissioner	Jane Danger
Commissioner	Frank Dockter
Commissioner	Lindsay Morsaw
Commissioner	Nancy Spoula
Commissioner	Charlie Weeden

Spring Safety!

Now is a great time to check those smoke detectors or reach out to the Fire Department at 269-621-4707 if you have questions or smoke detectors are needed!

Did you know?

During a Tornado Warning the Siren in town that signals the 12pm and 6pm hours, will ring for a **STEADY 3 MINUTES**.

The difference between a Tornado Watch and a Warning is, a Watch means that a Tornado is possible and you should keep an eye on the radar or listen to the radio for updates on the weather condition.

A Warning is that a Tornado has been spotted or rotation has been picked up on radar. You need to immediately take cover in the basement or middle of the home and stay away from windows. Make sure to have a flashlight and battery powered radio handy. Do not use the phone except for emergencies.

Make sure that you have a plan before severe weather hits and your family is aware. Being prepared is the first step to being safe.

Current Infrastructure Projects

- Downtown streetscape project
- Wastewater plant upgrades
- Waterline extension to the township

Spring Reminders!

- The City has an Ordinance, 93.37, against burning leaves as it is a danger and a health concern to the community. In Ordinance 93.38 the city does encourage grills and small bonfires.
- Keep kids safe this summer! When you are on local streets look for kids at play. Parents remember Ordinance 151.216, Basketball hoops cannot be placed in roads or on sidewalks. This is to help prevent kids from running into the road.
- Operating a golf cart is only allowed by those with a driver's license. Ordinance 70.45 gives a lot of information about the rules the city has in place for safety. The most important is that you cannot operate the golf cart on a major road way, such as Red Arrow (Main St) or Center St (CR 687), only on local city streets.
- **Look Twice Save a Life!** With the warmer weather approaching make sure you are watching for Motorcycles.

LARGE JUNK PICK UP **WEDNESDAY APRIL 24TH**

Do not place items out before Monday and not on or in the street

Strictly for household items. Things like carpets must be rolled and secured. Mattresses/box springs in bags. Small items must be in bags or boxes and any glass must be noted on the side of boxes.

*No Metal, building materials, batteries, tires, auto parts, appliances (including air conditioners), propane tanks, ammunition, oil, gas, hot tubs, windows, dead animals, concrete, no yard waste, medical waste, no loose lumber, fireworks, or any hazardous waste (such as chemicals). If you have questions call 269-463-3232.

City Manager

The City welcomes Nicol Brown as its new City Manager. We are happy to have her!

citymanager@cityofhartfordmi.org

Notice

3 Council Seats will be on the upcoming November Ballot. In order to be on the Ballot, Petitions with signatures are due by Tuesday, July 23rd. If you are interested in running for one of these seats, please see your local clerk.