
**City of Newaygo
Spring/Summer 2025 Updates**

Spring is just around the corner and we wanted to provide some updated City information and dates for the upcoming months.

Leaf & Brush Pick up Dates:

- **Bulk Leaf Pick up - April 21st – May 9th**
 - Rake leaves to edge of road in a long windrow. If you have a curb put leaves in the gutter pan.
 - Piles should be located just on the road edge, no more than one foot into the road.
 - Piles should not be within four feet of mailboxes, street signs, or poles.
 - Piles should only include leaves. **No Brush! Leaves will not be picked up if other items are mixed in with leaves.**
 - **Leaves must be placed along edge of road no later than May 9th at noon or the leaves will not be picked up and you will have to bag leaves.**
 - Leaf pick up is weather permitting and as time allows. The pick-up days may vary each week depending on the weather and scheduling.

- **Brush Pick up will now take place the last Wednesday of each month beginning May 28th through October 29th**
 - Please place brush on the curb by 7am on Wednesday
 - Brush must be piled neatly, with butt ends facing the road.
 - **Brush only. No leaves or grass!**
 - Brush must not exceed 6" in diameter and 4 feet in length.
 - There may be occasions when the pickup day could be delayed due to weather or a water emergency, but the DPW will ensure it is collected within the next day or two.

- **Bag Leaf Pick up - Anytime**
 - Composting bags are available at City Hall at no charge
 - Bags must contain only leaves.
 - Set bags by edge of road and the DPW will pick them up.
 - The City **will not** pick up bags that are not composting bags

Water Main Flushing:

The City of Newaygo will be flushing water mains from 7:00 am-3:00 pm Monday thru Friday beginning April 7th and continuing through April 17th. Customers should be aware that there may be some discoloration in their water supply and the washing of clothes is not recommended during this time.

City is offering Material Sales again this year:

Materials are only available to City Residents and can be delivered to your residence Monday-Thursday at 7:30 am or 11:30 am within 1-2 days of your order and payment. You can also arrange to pick up materials from the DPW when you order and make payment. Prices below are subject to change should our prices change from contractors providing the City with material. Please contact City Hall to place your order.

- Top Soil - \$32.00 per yard
- Wood Mulch - \$22.00 per yard

Water & Sewer Main Work on River Street & Wood Street

- The City of Newaygo will be working on the water and sewer main on River Street from M37 to Wood Street and along Wood Street. The initial work is expected to begin in March or April along River Street and continue north on Wood Street. The work is expected to be completed by late summer.
- Access to homes and businesses in this area may be inconvenient at times, but you will be able to access homes and businesses through the entire project. We apologize for any inconvenience this may cause.

8 W State Road

- Work may have already started, or will start shortly, on the demolition of the building located at 8 W State Road. (The former Coldwell Banker Real Estate Office) The City will be working on making this a Park-like setting to enhance the downtown.

Water Service Line Replacement

- The City of Newaygo will be replacing numerous water service lines throughout the City starting in March. These are lines that run from the water main in the road to the home or business. Under new State Laws, the State of Michigan requires this work to be completed. The goal of this project is to maintain the water quality in the City of Newaygo. The City will contact any resident or business that this may affect prior to work beginning.

Upcoming Property Taxes:

- Summer taxes will be mailed out June 30th and due on, or before, September 2nd without penalty.

Option to Pay and Receive Your Water/Sewer Bills:

You now have the option to set up recurring payments for your water and sewer bill using credit/debit cards, checking, or savings accounts, as well as sign up for paperless billing to receive your bill via email. To set up an account through BS&A with the following link: <https://bsaonline.com/?uid=543>

If you are having problems with setting up your account for payment options or paperless billing, please contact us at: (231) 652-1657, ext. 210 or office@newaygo.gov

Office Closings:

- As a reminder City Offices will be closed on the following dates:
 - Friday, April 18th in observance of Good Friday
 - Tuesday April 29th
 - Friday, May 23rd and Monday, May 26th in observance of Memorial Day
 - Wednesday June 18th
 - Friday, July 4th in observance of Independence Day
 - Friday, August 29th and Monday, September 1st in observance of Labor Day

Reminders:

- If you have a sidewalk in front of your property, please remember to keep it clear of debris and grass. This helps prevent trip hazards and ensures the walkway is safe for pedestrians. If you notice any gaps or raised sections in the sidewalk, please report them to the City Office.
- To keep our City looking beautiful, please ensure that your grass does not exceed six inches in height. If there is a sidewalk that runs through your yard, also remember to mow the area between the sidewalk and the road. Thank you for helping to maintain our community!
- If you are remodeling, building an out-building or a deck, or putting up a fence please be sure to contact City Hall for zoning approval.

American Classic asked the City to share the following information regarding garbage pickup:

- **Waste and Recycling Pickup**
 - American Classic is excited to announce that they have extended their fleet with a side loader truck. The addition of a side loader truck to their fleet means the position of your trash cans will now affect pickup. Please note that all cart lids must be fully closed. No overloaded carts with lids open more than 10 inches will be emptied. Any additional garbage that will not fit into your 65 or 96 gallon cart must be placed in bags with purchased **bag tags** on them and placed beside the cart where the tag is visible to the driver. You can purchase bag tags from the City for \$2.00.
- **Place of Pickup**
 - Carts, mixed-refuse bags and bulky items must be placed at least four feet apart at the curb. They should be placed at least 4 feet away from mailboxes, light poles or any other obstruction to service. They must be placed in a location that is as close to the road as possible and in winter months the area should be clear of snow. **Carts should not be placed in the roadway and the arrow on the collection cart (front side that opens) must be pointing toward the street for pickup.**
 - Please call American Classic Dumpster Service at 231-834-7330 if you have any questions regarding garbage service.