

City Scene

PROPOSED CHANGES TO THE NUISANCE ORDINANCE



The City Council has received several complaints regarding items specific to the communities Nuisance Ordinance. In an effort to respond to resident concerns and create boundaries within city limits which protect public health, safety, peace, welfare, and property Values; the Council has made proposed up-dates to the

Nuisance Ordinance. Using other local ordinances as a benchmark and consulting with the League of Minnesota Cities, the inclusions further define the storage or keeping of unlicensed or inoperable vehicles, storage of recreational vehicles and clutter, as well as parameters regarding domestic or other potential noise violations. Below is a **summary** of the additions. Feel free to provide your written comments regarding the nuisance ordinance and/or the changes proposed.

SUMMARY OF PROPOSED CHANGES TO NUISANCE ORDINANCE

The following are declared nuisances affecting public health, safety, peace, or welfare.

Noise Violations defined as domestic power equipment, construction activities, radios, music devises, paging systems, and special events are defined and restricted to specific hours, dependent on day of the week.

Nuisance Parking and Storage, on residential property, of large numbers of vehicles, material supplies, or equipment if they obstruct views, create cluttered or unsightly areas, prevent full use of residential streets for parking, introduce commercial advertising signs where prohibited, decrease adjoining landowners and occupants use and enjoyment of their property and neighborhood, or otherwise decrease adjoining property values and neighborhood patterns.

Unlawful Parking and Storage states a person must not place, store or allow the placement or storage of ice fishing houses, skateboard ramps, playhouses, or other similar non-permanent structures outside, continuously, for longer than 24 hours in the front yard of residential property unless more than 100 feet from the front property line.

Any recreational vehicle must be in the rear or side yard provided a 5 foot setback from property lines. Items must be tightly covered to keep out rodents and rain and kept free of standing water. Recreational vehicles cannot be parked on city streets for longer than 48 hours. Recreational vehicles are not to be used as a residence for any length of time. Motorized recreational vehicles must be located on a parking area of concrete, asphalt, pavers, brick or compacted sand or other impervious or semi-impervious material to prevent weed growth.

Inoperable Motor Vehicles: It shall be unlawful to keep, park, or store any unlicensed, unregistered, or inoperable vehicle, including boats, snowmobiles, trailers or any other means of conveyance, or abandon any motor vehicle that is not in operating condition, partially dismantled, used for repair or parts or as a source of repair or replacement parts for other vehicles, kept for scrapping, dismantling, or salvage of any kind, or which is not properly licensed for operating within the state pursuant to Minn. Stat. 168B.011, subd. 3. as it may be amended from time to time. Screening: this does not apply to a motor vehicle enclosed in a lawfully erected building and/or kept out of view from any street, road, or alley, and which does not foster complaint from a resident of the city. Privacy fencing is permissible.

Nuisance Ordinance: _____

Submitted By: _____

FUN FOR YOU IN 2022

NEWFEST

September 9-11

ALL EVENTS ARE FREE OF CHARGE!



FRIDAY-SEPTEMBER 9

- 5-7:00 PM Tailgating Party/Fundraiser – MCC Education Foundation – food and silent auction
- 6:00 PM HeeHaw – Hootenanny! Music and Fun! – Community Center
- 7:00 PM MCC High School Football Game

SATURDAY-SEPTEMBER 10

- 8:00 AM \$200.00 TREASURE HUNT – Clues starting 8:00am and hourly – on LED sign by Hardware Hank
- 8:00 AM The Market Place in Newfolden Coop Oil Lot – Melanie Sorenson – 416-2067
- 9:00-2:00 PM Country Market/Coffee & Donuts/Basket Drawings/ LAH Fundraiser – Newfolden Community Center – Darcy 686-1119 or Leola 874-2256
- 9:00 AM 1 Mile Color Run/Walk – Grades K-5 and Ages 50 and Over-Westaker Lutheran Church
FMI: Terri Peterson-689-4601/tpeterson@mccfreeze.org
- 9:30 AM 5 K COLOR RUN Grades 6-Adult-Westaker Lutheran Church – FMI: Terri Peterson - 689-4601/tpeterson@mccfreeze.org
- 9:00 – 5:00 Tractor Show – MCC High School – Register with Jerry Swaser – 686-1455; Coffee and donuts for participants
- 11:00 AM Newfolden Fire Department Burger Feed Fundraiser
- 11:20 AM Pet Parade - costumes and floats encouraged for your furry friend! Walk, carry, or pull in a wagon!
Line up by bus garage – Melanie Sorenson-218-416-2067
- 11:30 AM NEWFEST PARADE! 1ST Place-\$100, 2nd Place-\$50, 3rd Place-\$25.00/category
National Anthem by Maddie Waterworth. Grand Marshal: MCC Wall of Fame: Raynard Huglen and Stuart Sethre.
Animal/Animal Drawn; Nonprofit; Commercial; Antique/Collector Autos; Antique/Collector Machinery; Home/Family –
Have all parade units in-line by 11:00 AM
Register with Sharon Bring 874-3713 or 689-2946– sbring@wiktel.com or Pat 523-4822 – pickdat@wiktel.com

IMMEDIATELY AFTER PARADE: Inflatable games by "Jump For Joy" – by water tower

- 1:00 PM Corn Hole Tournament - 15 years and older - South side of Hobo Haus -Shane Chapman 689-0769
- 1:00 PM Coin Scramble – in front of locker plant
- 1:00 PM Face-painting by Tim Kiviaho – by the water tower
- 1:00 PM Pedal Pull for all ages - across from water tower – Registration at 12:30
- 1:00 – 2:30 PM 5C Family Fun Fair – E. Free Church Promise Land
- 1:00 – 4:00 PM Horse and Wagon Rides Point Paradise Stables-South of café
- 1:00 – 4:00 PM Petting Zoo – "Home Sweet North Farm" by Andersen family.
- 1:00 – 4:00 PM Xtreme Ball – North of water tower
- 2:00 PM Darryl Jarshaw Antique Tractor Pull - Vernon Gunderson lot – W. Side of NF
Phil Klopp – 218-289-4329, Darrick Jarshaw – 684-0341
- 3:00 PM BINGO – AMERICAN LEGION POST 427 – Community Center
- 7:00 PM WALL OF HONOR/HALL OF FAME - MCC Elementary Gym. Free Admission. Ice Cream Sundaes
Wall of Honor: Mark Carlson, Stuart Sethre, Raynard Huglen
Hall of Fame: Tom Mjelde, Andrea Kragness Walrath, Gary Borg, 1977 Boys Basketball team

MUSICAL ENTERTAINMENT

- (Under the tent)
- Waterworth Family (12:30-1 pm)
 - Augustine Family (1-3 pm)
 - Family Connection (3-5 pm)
 - Overtones (5-6:30 pm)
 - Bubba Maki (7-9 pm)
 - Krome - 9:00-Midnight
- (inside Hobo Haus if inclement weather)

SUNDAY-SEPTEMBER 11

- 9:00-1:00 Lion's Brunch Fundraiser – Community Center-French toast, Scrambled eggs, and sausage

FOOD VENDORS:

- Wahoo Waffles • Spudwagon
- Smoke on Wheels • Bjerk Concessions
- Rainbow Concessions • Uff-da Tacos

**BUTTON
RAFFLE DRAWING
PRIZES: \$400 - \$300
\$200 - \$100**