

VILLAGE OF TEKONSHA  
SPRING NEWS LETTER  
**ALL DATES ARE TENTATIVE**  
**PLEASE CHECK VILLAGE WEB SITE**  
**OR FLIERS FOR CURRENT INFO**

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**NEW OFFICE HOURS:**

**MONDAY-FRIDAY 8-NOON**

**SPRING CLEANUP FOR VILLAGE RESIDENTS ONLY:**

**April 24<sup>th</sup>, 2021**

**8am to 4pm**

**Village Office Parking Lot**

There will be dumpsters and the “scrap” truck available. Please no large quantities of building materials. Cans of paint should be opened and left in a well-ventilated area to dry out or mixed with cat litter and allowed to harden and then may be put in the trash. Again we will not be accepting hazardous material, tires, oil, or liquid paint. We reserve the right to refuse items. Village does not pick-up.



**Tire Recycle:**

**August 9<sup>th</sup>, 2021**

**12-5 pm**

Regular Car and Truck Tires Only –

**NO** – Diesel, tractor, loader, or monster truck tires. These **will not** be accepted.

Event held at the village office parking lot – **no early drop offs.**



**NOTICE:**

The Village will be sending out Ordinance Violation letters. To avoid fines on inoperable vehicle, blight, grass or swimming pool:

- Vehicles must be **“operable”**: licensed, insured and able to drive on the street
- Tarps or plywood around or over a vehicle and parking in back of property does **NOT** comply.

- May apply for a **30 day** permit at the office for; i.e. getting parts, for sale, etc.
- All weeds and rank vegetation must be mowed.

Good till May 15, 2021 Caudill & Sons 517-369-9074 pay \$500 and up for complete cars does not have to run must have title. [www.scrapmonster.com](http://www.scrapmonster.com)

As for junk in yards:

- **Take advantage of Spring Clean Up April 24<sup>th</sup>, from 8-4 at the parking lot of the Village Office.**

**Please note:**

**NOT** permitted to raise livestock, **which**

**includes chickens and pigeons** inside the village limits.

Due to Zoning Ordinance changes and to avoid permit issues please contact the office or SAFEbuilt @269-729-9244 before starting any construction projects or setting up a pool.

**Street Improvements**

Main Street is a schedule for this spring along with several others and sidewalks will continue this year.



Brush Dump is for the convenience of the village residents only and is now locked. A key maybe signed out during business hours at the village office.

**ONLY:** Debris associated with trees and yard waste is to be dumped.

**NO:** Material associated with building projects, mattresses etc. If you find wood or want to load up on compost dirt, feel free to take what you need.

If you have a large item such as chairs, couches, mattresses etc. you will need to call the village office to schedule removal of bulk items and to find out the fee for this service. This is **NOT** part of the regular garbage pickup. All garbage bags must be placed in the totes. **Empty totes need to removed from the road right of way and stored in your yard after pickup.** If interested in a 10 or 15 yard dumpster call Sammy’s 269-420-4627.

Loose leaf pickup **IS NOT** done in Spring but if you bag them they will get picked-up. The DPW will be picking up brush and sticks regularly throughout the summer. They will **NOT** pick up piles of leaves, grass clippings and garden waste. Those can be taken to the brush dump on Jackson Drive.

**Please** respect walkers and do not park on the sidewalks. Dog walkers be courteous and pick up your pets waste and a big thank you for those of you already being responsible.

**Dogs Licensing:**

The village will be receiving a list of all licensed doge owners in the village on or around June1. If your dog/dogs are unlicensed you may want to address this to avoid a visit from animal control.

**Suspect a Leak:**

Turn off all faucets and water, read your

meter, wait 30 minutes reread, if dial has moved, you have a leak.

**Mosquito Prevention Tips:**

- Get rid of old tires, cans, pails, and other water-holding containers or store them upside down. Keep grass cut short and shrubbery well-trimmed. Maintain above ground pools or drain if not in use and store away. Empty plastic wading pools and store them inside when not in use or upside down.

The Village actively sprays for mosquitoes. We typically spray at dusk when the mosquitoes are most active.



To reserve the pavilion at either park and to get keys to the bathrooms for Cheney park contact the Village office @ 767-4204. Electricity is available at both.



**May 3<sup>rd</sup>** the Village water dept. will begin hydrant flushing and be completed by **May 7<sup>th</sup>**.

During this time your water may be slightly cloudy in appearance and you may notice slight pressure drops. We do this twice a year to help clean out the pipes and move fresh water through the system. **No chlorine** is added to this flushing. If you have any questions please contact DPW at 517-767-4288.

Music in the park entertainment runs from 6-7:00 and the dates are: May 16<sup>h</sup>, June 20<sup>th</sup>, July 18<sup>th</sup>, Aug. 22<sup>nd</sup> and Sept. 19<sup>th</sup>. With August 22<sup>nd</sup> scheduled for Church in the Park. Service at 10:00. Followed by a chicken dinner.

**Pay water/sewer bills online!!**

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**Golf Carts !!**

Permitted on local streets with permit **Please note this is just a partial list of requirements:**

- \* **Must** be registered at the Village Office (No Charge)
- \* Licensed drivers **ONLY**
- \* No driving on Main Street

Office hours:

8:00 am to NOON Monday – Friday

Phone: Office: 517-767-4204

Water, Sewer, Streets: 517-767-4288

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