



# CITY OF NEW RICHLAND

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## SPRING CLEAN UP

The City of New Richland is once again sponsoring a cleanup campaign to encourage and assist City residents in ridding of accumulated trash and in sprucing up the appearance of the City's neighborhoods and streets. Clean up 2016 will be held Saturday May 21, 2016 8am-Noon.

The City of New Richland will be providing a location to drop off items for Spring Clean-Up such as appliances, vehicle batteries, TV's, monitors, carpet remnants and garbage. Some charges will apply for these items along with the convenience of hauling in town.

**See additional insert for more information.**

**This insert also provides you with a ticket to use the day of the clean-up.**

## COMPOST DUMP

The City Compost Dump at the end of South Broadway is to be used for Brush, Trees, Leaves, Grass Clippings and Garden Plants **only**. Prohibited items are cement, building materials, doors, windows, plastic, garbage, etc. It is a compost dump!

## CITY WIDE GARAGE SALES

City Wide Garage Sales will be held on April 30, 2016. Please stop into City Hall and fill out a form if you would like to be included on the map. You can also submit your information online at [www.cityofnewrichlandmn.com](http://www.cityofnewrichlandmn.com). There is no charge to be on the map; however you will be responsible for any further advertising you wish to do.

Available again this year, is booth rental at City Hall. If you don't have enough stuff for a sale of your own, or don't have the space to hold a sale, this is perfect for you. Ten dollars will get you a 120 sq foot space with enough room for 3 tables (provided). First come first service basis. Sales at City Hall will be advertised to run from 8am-1pm on April 30, 2016.

## ST. OLAF LAKE SWIMMING PROGRAM

Swimming lessons will be offered at St. Olaf Lake again this summer. Registration forms will be sent home with your child from school on or before the last week in April. We are offering 4 sessions this year. Sessions will be June 13-17 (levels 5 & 6 evenings) June 20-July 1 and July 11-22 (all levels) and the evening session starting July 25. If you do not receive a form, please stop by City Hall and pick one up.

**REMINDER: ANNUAL PERMIT FEES FOR GOLF CART USE ARE DUE**

**CITY HALL HOURS: 8:00 AM - 4:30 PM**

[www.cityofnewrichlandmn.com](http://www.cityofnewrichlandmn.com)

### **Important Numbers**

City Hall:	465-3514
Water/Sewer Billing:	465-3514
Street Dept:	465-8304
Water Dept:	465-8304
Sewer Dept:	463-8330
Police Dept:	465-3240
Building Inspector:	877-333-5620
Gopher State One Call	800-252-1166

## ON THE WEB

Become a fan of the City of New Richland on Facebook to tap into information and happenings going on around you. Visit [www.cityofnewrichlandmn.com](http://www.cityofnewrichlandmn.com) and click on the Facebook link.

## NEW RECYCLING SYSTEM

The City is considering implementing a new more user friendly recycling program for City residents. Watch for additional information as it becomes available.



**RECREATIONAL FIRES**

The only type of fire allowed during the spring and summer months in the City of New Richland is a recreational fire.

All fires must comply with the following regulations:

- Must be 25 feet from any structure or combustible material. Fire pits should also be constructed of non-combustible material. A fire ring or pit that is at least 8 inches deep is required.
- No burning is allowed on streets, sidewalks, or other public right of ways.
- Fire cannot exceed 3 feet in diameter.
- A fire extinguishing method needs to be present during the time of the fire. (i.e. garden hose, pail of water or sand)
- Someone must be in attendance of the fire at all times until extinguished.
- Only unpainted and untreated wood, coal or charcoal may be burned. **Absolutely NO garbage burning is allowed.**

Please keep in mind these guidelines while enjoying a campfire. Use special consideration to control objectionable smoke or odorous conditions. The Police and Fire Departments can require a fire to be extinguished if these guidelines are not met.

**TIPS FOR SPRING PROJECTS**

Thinking about a spring or summer project? Along with the usual cleanup and maintenance jobs, you might be considering adding a deck, a screened porch, or re-roofing your home. Some of the typical household construction projects that require building permits from the City are listed below:

- Decks
- Re-Roofing
- Finishing Basements
- Fences
- Siding
- Window Replacement
- Gazebos
- Retaining Walls
- Heat and A/C
- Sheds
- Additions
- Alterations

Permits issued for re-roofing, siding, and windows are issued the same day. All other permits require approval by either the Zoning Chairperson or Building Inspector or both, so please allow adequate time for processing. Please have all drawings, plans, and material lists available when submitting the permit for approval.

**DOG/CAT LICENSING AND REGULATIONS**

The City Ordinance requires registration for cats as well as dogs. The number of domestic animals per household is allowed no more than 5 animals, of which no more than 2 can be dogs.

All dogs and cats within the City of New Richland are required to be registered. Lifetime registration is \$10.00 and can be obtained at City Hall. Replacement tags are \$5.00 and can be obtained at the City Hall.

City Ordinance prohibits dogs and cats from running at large. Dogs should be accompanied by a responsible person and effectively restrained by a leash. Any dog or cat found to be running at large in the City will be picked up and brought to Premier Vet Center in Waseca and will require fees to be paid in order to for the dog to be released. If a dog has the proper tags, **every effort will be made to locate the owner before impounding the dog.** Owners are subject to an administrative fine if either of these violations occurs.

City ordinance requires all pet owners to clean up after their pets on their property and when walking around town. (See Animal Ordinances on the City Website for more information)

**ANIMAL SHOT CLINIC**

The Clarks Grove Vet Clinic will be offering a Vaccination and Heartworm Clinic at their location in Clarks Grove again this year. Here are the dates and times:

- April 16 (Sat) 9AM - NOON
- April 19 (Tue) 5PM - 7PM
- April 28 (Thur) 5PM - 7PM

For more information call (507)256-7237.



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