

NOVEMBER, 2020

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Hours of Operation:
Monday through Thursday

7:45 a.m. to 5:15 p.m.

Friday 7:45 a.m. to 11:15 a.m.

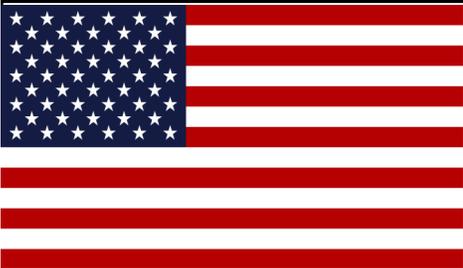
City Offices will be closed on November 16th and also November 26th & 27th for the Thanksgiving holiday.



Jeremy Howard
Clare City Manager

Hello, my name is Jeremy Howard. For those of you I have not had the pleasure to meet yet, I was hired as the new City Manager for Clare at the end of August. It has been a whirlwind of getting to know the community leaders, business owners, and citizens since I took this seat. Each and every day I am reminded why I applied for this position as I learn more and more why Clare is one of the greatest little cities in Michigan.

As we head into the fall, I would like to wish each and every one of you a happy Thanksgiving and blessed holiday celebrations. I hope you all remain safe and healthy, and you are able to take a minute to spend time with your family and friends to celebrate.



Calling All Worn or Tired Flags!!

With Veteran's Day fast approaching, please consider checking your American flag for wear and tear and replacing it if necessary. If you have a worn or tired flag, it may be dropped off at

Tentative

brush chipping dates are:

November 30th

January 4th



REMINDER:

BURNING OF LEAVES AND YARD WASTE IS STRICTLY PROHIBITED WITHIN CLARE CITY LIMITS WITHOUT A PERMIT ISSUED BY THE FIRE CHIEF

Brush Chipping is strictly a "Time & Weather" permitting activity, and is a service provided by the City of Clare (not the refuse contractor). As time & weather allow, we normally begin chipping brush on the first Monday month; and we go down each street **one time only**. If you are unsure, you can check the listing on the Clare Informational Access Channel (Cable TV – Channel 189) or call 989/386-2182, x202;

We do NOT chip vines, roots, or stumps

NO PARKING ON CITY STREETS

City Code, Chapter 126, Section 8.25, prohibits parking on City Streets from **3:00 a.m. to 6:00 a.m.** between the dates of **November 15th through April 1st** of each year. The price you will pay for untimely parking is \$30.00 per offense.

MEDICATION DROP BOX

The medication drop box is now located at the Clare Police Department. This is a drop-off location for your unused or expired prescription drugs.

Residential Trash/Recycling/Yard Waste Collection Reminder

Just a friendly reminder that all items for curbside collection are to be placed to the curb by 6:00 a.m. on Thursday. Trash and Recycling Bins should be placed on one side of the driveway and yard waste on the other. **Yard Waste collection will end on November 27th or the first substantial snowfall (4" or more) *whichever comes first.***

Upcoming collection day changes due to holidays are

Thanksgiving – November 26– Collection will be Friday, November 27.
Christmas—December 25— No Change—Collection will be Thursday, Dec. 24
New Year's Day—January 1—No Change—Collection will be Thursday, Dec. 31

LEAVES, LEAVES, AND MORE LEAVES!



Just a brief reminder that residents should never rake leaves, yard waste or brush into the street. And when mowing, do NOT blow grass into the street. We do not currently have the ability to vacuum leaves from the gutters. Raking leaves into City streets plugs storm sewers as well as the street sweeper. Paper lawn & leaf bags are available at City Hall and sold in increments of 5 for \$2.69. Waste Management collects lawn waste on Thursdays through November 30th or the first substantial snow fall—whichever comes first. Please remember that yard waste must be placed at the curb by 6:00 a.m. on Thursday morning, and Waste Management enforces their 35 lb limit on all lawn waste containers and bags. If you have questions regarding leaf collection, please call 386-2182 x 201.