

KEEPING YOU CONNECTED

CLEAN-UP WEEK
April 15-17, 2026
See insert for the details!



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Register by April 21 to participate!

AREAWIDE GARAGE SALES

Friday & Saturday May 1-2

Don't miss the change to get YOUR SALE listed on the map. Contact the Record-Review at 218.354.2606. **Deadline is APRIL 21!**

Register NOW for your Garden Plot!

Now is the time to get registered for your plot at the Barnesville Community Garden! The garden is located on the west side of town near the City Shop building. Thanks to **Midwest Bank** for once again coordinating the garden.

Each 10'x10' plot is \$20 for the season - your second plot is only \$10 - excludes raised beds.

There are a limited number of 4'x4' raised beds available at \$10 - first come, first served.

Reserve your plot at Midwest Bank or call Emily Holmes (Midwest Bank) at 354.2704 for info!



New Dog Park Location + Reminder!

Spring is HERE! We want to get outside and so do the dogs! **The city's Dog Park has now been moved to the fenced area just west of the Public Works building!**

Whether at the Dog Park or walking your dog on sidewalks on the walking trails, don't forget to come prepared so you can pick up after your dog!

And no one wants to find a surprise when they are mowing their yard!



City Router rental fee is Increasing!

For the first time in 11 years, the monthly cost of renting internet routers will increase. This increase will help cover the rising cost of electronics related to the increased cost of delivering telephone and internet services.

Effective with the utility bills that residents receive in March the cost will go from \$4.95 per month to \$5.95 per month.



Randy McEvers joins City Council

At the March 9 City Council Meeting, **Randy McEvers** was sworn in as the new Ward 1 City Council member for Ward 1. McEvers will finish out the term of Dawn Stuvland who passed away in January. McEvers comes to the council with extensive board experience including 8 years on the Barnesville School Board. Welcome Randy!

Welcome and Thank you!

Recently there have been several changes to city boards. On the TEC Board we welcome **Ken Budd** as the newest member. He replaces **Chad Hagen**. On the Barnesville Park Board we thank **Jesse Bucholz** for his years of service and welcome **Travis Johnson**. We are very grateful to all the residents who share their time and talents to make Barnesville better!

NEW Lower price for 1 GIG Internet! Only \$99.95 per month!

We are all using our internet services more everyday and we all need faster speeds!

Providing faster speeds at an affordable price is a priority for the city. The price for 1 Gigabyte service was just reduced to \$99.95!

Call us at 218.354.2292 to increase your speed!



BARNESVILLE CITY COUNCIL
Regular Meeting • February 9, 2026

Regular City Council Meetings are held the second Monday of every month beginning at 6:00 pm in the City Council Chambers located at the rear of City Hall. The public are welcome. The agenda is posted on the City's website and Facebook page.

These are summaries of the minutes. The complete minutes are available online at www.barnesvillemn.com or at City Hall.

Mayor Rick called this regular meeting to order at 6:00 p.m. Member's present were Council members Alyssa Bergman, Tonya Stokka, Scott Bauer, and Don Goedtke. Absent was Council member Brad Field.

02-09-26-01 Motion Stokka, second Goedtke to approve the agenda as presented, with the addition of hiring Rachel Hereen as an EMT for the Ambulance Dept and approve the campground host stipend for 2026. Motion carried.

02-09-26-02 Motion Stokka, second Bergman to approve the consent agenda as presented. Motion carried.

02-09-26-03 Motion Bergman, second Bauer to approve the resolution declaring a council vacancy from Ward 1. Upon a roll call vote, motion carried.

02-09-26-04 Motion Stokka, second Bauer to approve the 2nd reading of Ordinance 2026-02, regarding ambulance fees. Motion carried.

02-09-26-05 Motion Stokka, second Bergman to approve the 2nd reading of Ordinance 2026-03 regarding Park and Recreation fees and charges for the Golf Course. Motion carried.

02-09-26-06 Motion Goedtke, second Bergman to approve the 2nd reading of Ordinance 2026-04 regarding fees and charges for the campground. Motion carried.

02-09-26-07 Motion Bauer, second Goedtke to approve the variances for 602 10th Stret SE, Christopher and Stacy Johnson, with the conditions set forth in the variances. Motion carried.

02-09-26-08 Motion Bauer, second Bergman to approve the CUP for 602 10th Street SE, Christopher and Stacy Johnson, with the conditions set forth in the CUP. Motion carried.

02-09-26-09 Motion Stokka, second Bergman to approve staff to request bids for painting of the water tower. Motion carried.

Mayor Rick adjourned the meeting at 6:36 p.m.

Unique Fundraising Opportunity!

Firehall Liquors wants to partner with Barnesville restaurants & Local Organizations to bring some fun to the north end of town!

If you're a restaurant or local organization looking to raise funds we invite you to set up a food stand in our parking lot for a special menu feature, fundraiser, or pop-up event. **Let's make it happen!**

- ✓ Great visibility
- ✓ Built-in customer traffic
- ✓ Fun, welcoming community atmosphere
- ✓ Flexible scheduling options

This is a wonderful opportunity to showcase your menu, grow your following, raise funds, and connect with local customers.

Let's talk about the possibilities! Give Randi a call at 218.354.2258



NOW is the time to Reserve the Event Center for your Summer Events!



EPIC EVENTS. GREAT RATES.



5,000 sq. ft. - 176 person capacity
6 mounted TV's, mic & speaker system
Full kitchen with Liquor options

INFO | RESERVATIONS: 218.354.2292



CITY OF BARNESVILLE

**WATER HARDNESS
 READING
 March 17, 2026**

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Are you Dreaming of a New Home?

Spring is just around the corner and interest rates are headed down! Now would be a great time to consider building your dream home!

There are still prime lots available in the Del Acres Gilbertson 3rd Addition, east of the water tower. Lot prices start as low at \$12,000! Incentives include a 2 Year Property Tax Rebate and a Free Utility Incentive!

For more information, contact the Barnesville EDA offices at 218.354.2145 or eda@barnesvillemn.com.

BARNESVILLE CLEAN UP WEEK APRIL 15, 16 and 17, 2026

- **SPECIAL GARBAGE AND BUILDING DEBRIS PICK UP** on Wednesday, April 15, Thursday, April 16 and Friday, April 17. All material must be set out by 5:00 a.m.

NEW! Loose garbage will NOT be picked up. All items need to be bagged and tied.

ALL ITEMS MUST BE SEPARATED BY CATEGORY.

Piles will NOT be picked up if not separated by category.

If items will fit in a bag, they must be bagged. Each home is limited to 10 Cubic Yards of material - this is roughly a pile that is 6 feet wide, 15 feet long and 3 feet high.

Category #1 - Regular household garbage, cardboard, plastic items, carpet (cut in 4 ft lengths)

Category #2 - Building materials and sheetrock - small amounts only!

Category #3 - Old Furniture and Mattresses

Category #4 - Scrap metals and Bikes

NOT ACCEPTED - Used oils, paints, tires and batteries

- **WEDNESDAY, APRIL 15** all residential customers who live west of Highway 9 (Front Street) will also receive the special spring clean up, pick up of garbage, and small amounts of building debris.
- **THURSDAY, APRIL 16** all residential customers East of Front Street and North of and including 3rd Ave. SE will receive the special spring clean up, pick up of garbage, and small amounts of building debris.
- **FRIDAY, APRIL 17** residential customers East of Front Street and South of 3rd Ave. SE (excluding 3rd Ave. SE) will receive the special spring clean up, pick up of garbage, and small amounts of building debris. *If time allows, the crew will work ahead of the above schedule, but will do the entire route on the stated day and time.*
- **DURING THIS WEEK**, garbage and building debris will be collected at your normal garbage collection pick up location - no alleys. **NO ADDITIONAL TAGS ARE NEEDED FOR THIS SPECIAL CLEAN UP WEEK.**
- **THERE WILL NOT BE CURBSIDE PICK UP OF TIRES.** You may dispose of car and pickup tires at the Clay County Resource Recovery Center throughout the year. The disposal fee is \$6.00 per tire. The Resource Recovery Center is located at 3322 15th Avenue N. in Moorhead. Their hours are Monday-Friday 8 am to 4 pm, and the 1st and 3rd Saturdays from 8:00 am to 11:30 am. Questions? 218.299.5016.
- **IMPORTANT APPLIANCE INFORMATION:** During the special three days of Spring Clean Up, appliances will be collected at your residence after payment of the required fee at City Hall. The fee is \$25 for non-freon appliances and \$35 for freon appliances. Your name will be put on a list and appliances will be picked up periodically during the next week. If you miss this opportunity, for a fee, the Clay County Resource Recovery Center in Moorhead also accepts appliances throughout the year.

SEE BACK FOR INFO ON ELECTRONICS AND HOUSEHOLD HAZARDOUS WASTE!

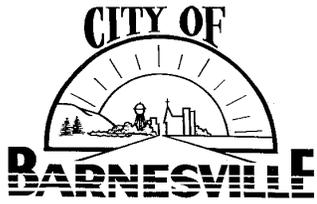


**Questions?
218.354.2292**

Your garbage and recycling pick-up will still be on Friday!

*This is a very busy week for the clean-up crews.
We appreciate your cooperation and patience.*

The City of Barnesville Is An Equal Opportunity Provider and Employer.



SPRING YARD WASTE CLEANUP



Fuch's Sanitation will NOT be doing Curbside collection of yard waste this spring.

The compost disposal site owned by the City of Moorhead is no longer accepting leaves or grass clippings in plastic bags

Residents can always bring their branches, leaves and grass clippings to the:
Barnesville Yard Waste Site
located SW of the Public Works Shop

NO BAGS! Area is accessible seven days a week during daytime hours



THERE WILL BE NO LOCAL COLLECTION OF ELECTRONICS OR HOUSEHOLD HAZARDOUS WASTE - SEE BELOW FOR ANOTHER OPTION!

Clay County Resource Recovery Center

3322 15th Avenue North in Moorhead
 Mon.-Fri. 8 am-4 pm; 1st and 3rd Saturday 8-11:30 am
Holiday weeks may have schedule changes.

Household Electronics accepted from residents at no charge:

- LED/Fluorescent Bulbs
- TVs - All Types
- Laptops
- Computer Towers
- Rechargeable batteries
- Keyboards
- DVD/VHS Players
- Cell Phones - all types
- Printers
- Tablets
- Computer Monitors
- Holiday lights
- External hard drives
- Fax machines

Household Chemicals accepted from residents at no charge:

- Aerosol products
- Moth balls
- Spot removers
- Mercury thermometers
- Weed & Insect killer
- Pool chemicals
- Latex paint
- Paint remover/thinner
- Drain/oven cleaners
- Nail polish/remover
- Automotive chemicals
- Used motor oil & filters
- Charcoal lighter fluid
- Rodent bait
- Stain/varnish
- Antifreeze

More info: claycountymn.gov - Resource Recovery Center



Old Prescription Drugs?

Don't put them in the garbage or flush them down the toilet!
Dispose of them in the correct manner - the Barnesville Police Department has a Prescription Drug bin - stop any time!

Barnesville Police Station
101 Front St. S. 354-2281

Seniors!

Do you need help with an outdoor project this Spring?



The annual Barnesville Day of Caring event is taking place **Wednesday, May 6, 2026**.

This event arranges volunteers to go to the homes of senior community members to help them with outdoor projects. If you would benefit from this kind of help, or know someone who would, please call Barnesville Area HELPERS at 218-354-7090 today!

Deadline to sign up is Wednesday, April 15.



Senior Citizens!

Barnesville
DAY OF CARING
MAY 6, 2026

HOSTED BY:



Barnesville
Area Community Fund



See back for details to have students
come to your home to HELP!

