

## BUILDING INSPECTOR

The City of Moville is excited to announce the tentative development of a new full-time position – a Multi-City Inspector / Code Enforcement Officer.

Code violation issues are important to Moville residents and the City receives feedback encouraging us to develop an improved approach in order to maintain the exceptional quality of life here for property owners, business owners, and residents.

Over the last several years, the City of Moville has employed a part-time Inspector to address code violation issues but the need to improve the processes to find, notify, and rectify Nuisance Violations has grown beyond what the current contractor is able to provide on a part-time basis. These violations can range from dilapidated exteriors of Commercial buildings, tall weeds or grass, dangerous living conditions, fire hazards, and many other things.

In the search to improve processes for Building Permit review and approval, Nuisance Abatement, and Vacant/Abandoned Building Registration, we found that many of our neighboring towns were experiencing the same concerns to supply adequate follow-up and enforcement due to not having the budget to singly support a full-time benefitted Code Enforcement official.

We have developed a cost-sharing plan that will supply required services to Moville and is estimated to bring in over \$90,000 in revenue from eight other local towns. This new Multi-City Inspector position is tentatively slated to begin July 1, 2023 and the hiring advertisements will begin soon. The Inspector will be an employee of the City of Moville, Moville will be the central hub for the new position, and services to other towns will be provided through a 28E agreement and billed out at an hourly rate. This position will serve the towns of Moville, Holstein, Marcus, Correctionville, Kingsley, Hinton, Pierson, Aurelia, and Akron for budget year 2023-2024.

We will share further information about this process as it is developed, so please stay tuned for updates. We do expect questions and concerns as we continue through this endeavor – and as always, all feedback is welcomed. Please join us at any Council meeting, call City Hall at 712-873-3545 or email to [movillecouncil@wiatel.net](mailto:movillecouncil@wiatel.net) with any comments, concerns, or feedback.

We appreciate all of your support as your Mayor, City Council and City Staff work to continue to provide the best quality of life possible for property owners, business owners and residents of Moville.

### CITY NOTES

#### CITY COUNCIL MEETS:

April: 5th & 19th

May: 3rd & 17th

June: 7th & 21st

Meetings are held in the Council Chambers at City Hall. Meeting starts at 5:30pm. The public is welcome to attend.

City Hall will be closed April 7th in observation of Good Friday and Monday, May 29th in observation of Memorial Day.

#### FLUSHING HYDRANTS

April 19th & 20th

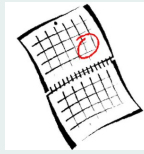
#### SAVE THE DATE:

Moville Days 2023

June 1st, 2nd, 3rd



## UPCOMING EVENTS:



### Community Basket Distribution

April 15th @ the Menville Community Center @ 12pm

### Easter Egg Hunt

April 8th @10am  
Memorial Park

### City Wide Rummages

April 28th & 29th

### Chamber Meeting

April 10th @ the Menville Community Center @12pm

### Chamber Meeting

May 8th @ the Menville Community Center @12pm

### Mother's Day

May 14th

### WC Graduation

May 21st

### Memorial Day

May 29th

### Menville Days

June 1st, 2nd, & 3rd

### Father's Day

June 18th

Check out the community calendar at [visitmenville.com](http://visitmenville.com) for more events.

## GARBAGE AND RECYCLING PICK UP:

### Garbage

Every Thursday  
*\*Remember to put garbage cans out Wednesday night as it gets picked up early Thursday.*

### Recycling

April 12th & 26th  
May 10th & 24th  
June 7th & 21st

## SPRING CLEAN UP

The City of Menville will provide an opportunity for residents to get rid of unwanted items April 17th through the 21st. During that timeframe two dumpsters will be accessible around the clock in front of City Hall on Main Street on the West end.

Items that will **not be** accepted: regular household garbage, liquid paints, stains, sealers, liquid auto products, liquid household cleaners, liquid building products, construction materials, pesticides, herbicides, fertilizers, batteries, tires, appliances or mattresses.

Remember this is done as a service for Menville residents. Please respect these guidelines and use this resource responsibly. There will be cameras placed around this area to ensure that there is no abuse of this resource or dumping of items that are not allowed.

Also, mattresses will NOT be accepted.

If this timeframe does not work or you have items that are not accepted please use the transfer station (landfill) South of Menville. Hours of operation are M, T, Th & F from 8am-4pm and Wednesday from 8am-12pm. Starting April 15th they will be open on Saturdays from 8-12pm.



## RESIDENTIAL PARKING

Did you know that the City of Menville has ordinances that outline what and where things can be parked and stored on your property residentially?

-Storage and parking of any boat, boat trailer, camp trailer, or other vehicle shall not be permitted in the required front yard; except on the designated driveway. Said vehicles may be placed on crushed rock or hard surfacing in a rear yard. The parking of any of these vehicles in a side yard shall be hard-surfaced. 4.17.12

-All parking spaces for single-family, two-family, and multi-family dwellings, rooming and boarding houses, convalescent homes, and mobile homes shall be paved with asphalt or concrete 7.02.04

We are requesting residents help in becoming compliant with these ordinances. If you have questions please call City Hall 873-3545.

## SPRING REMINDERS

**Open Burning.** This was previously scheduled for April 15th through April 30th but at this time the **City is holding off on open burn due to dangerous burning conditions.** We will update residents on the status of the open burn when we receive more information from local fire officials. **ONLY** during this designated time period are you allowed to burn yard waste.

The City provides a yard waste dump site (for Menville residents) located southwest of the Nutrien facility; you may dispose of yard waste, branches and leaves at this location. Please take care to place the materials in the correct piles and do not leave plastic bags or garbage at the site. The tree dump is not for building materials/boards, etc.



•**Mowing** Do not mow grass clippings into the streets. The grass clippings clog the storm sewers and can cause sewer backups. It is expensive for both the city and home owner.

•**Weed/Mowing Complaints** Grass and/or weeds need to be mowed by the 15th of the month from May through October. If grass and/or weeds are not mowed by that time the city crew will mow the yard. The fee for mowing and cutting weeds shall be one hundred dollars (\$100) per hour plus administrative fees, those fees will be assessed to the homeowner. See the newspaper for monthly notice.

•**Operating Golf Carts** Golf carts are allowed on city streets by persons possessing a valid driver's license and insurance. However, a golf cart shall not be operated upon Hwy 140. The golf carts need to have a slow moving vehicle sign and a bicycle safety flag and operate on the streets only from sunrise to sunset.

•**Operating ATV/UTV's** Same rules apply as operating a golf cart.

*Reminder: tornado sirens will be tested at 7:00 pm on the THIRD MONDAY monthly from March through October.*

## BUILDING PERMITS

Menville City Council has a Building Inspector to handle most permits. Permits are available on the city's website, [visitmenville.com](http://visitmenville.com) under the City Hall tab or you can stop at City Hall and pick up a permit. Once the application has been completed the form can be submitted to City Hall and the City Building Inspector will be notified. Please remember this process does take around ten days. If you are planning a construction project, be sure to calculate the time it takes the Inspector to do his job.

Permits are required for: **BUILDING, FENCE, REMODELING, SIDEWALK, REPURPOSING, HOUSE MOVING and OPEN GRADING PERMITS.** Please call City Hall with any questions you may have with regard to building permits.



## HASKELL POOL

The City of Menville is now accepting applications for lifeguards for the 2023 season. Summer is just around the corner and we can't help but think of all of the sunny days ahead at the Haskell Pool! With that comes the need for lifeguards.

We are so excited to have Shelly Schaeuble back as the Manager this season! Shelly brings many years of Manager expertise and terrific customer service skills to our pool. Along with Shelly, we have a great group of guards returning this season but would love to add a few more to the crew.

Lifeguard starting pay is \$9.00. Students must be 15 years old to take the training course. For more information on becoming a certified lifeguard contact Jodi at City Hall.



### Daily Admission

0-5 years	\$1.00
6-11 years	\$2.00
12 years & up	\$3.00

### Season Passes

Family	\$100
Single	\$ 40
Senior	\$ 35

## PET LICENSE REMINDER

Pets are required to be registered with the City of Menville each year. To register your pet provide a completed pet registration form along with a copy of updated vaccinations to City Hall, once those documents have been submitted tags will be provided for the current year.

Questions about the process? See below.

License: Pets are due to be registered by February 28th of each year.

Did you get a letter reminding you to register your pet? If so, please complete the registration form, include a copy of current vaccinations and the fee. The late fees are as follows:

	Mar	Apr	May	June	Jul	Aug	Sept	Oct	Nov	Dec
Spay/Neutered	\$8	\$11	\$14	\$17	\$20	\$23	\$26	\$29	\$32	\$35
Non-Spay/Neutered	\$13	\$16	\$19	\$22	\$25	\$28	\$31	\$34	\$37	\$40

At Large: Pets running at large will be impounded. Owners will be required to pay a impounding and/or licensing fee before the animal will be released back to the owner.

Nuisance: Pets causing a disturbance by excessive barking or other noise making to such an extent as to annoy or disturb persons in the vicinity of the dog could receive a warning letter and/or Municipal Infraction depending on the number of occurrences of the incident.

Animal Bites: Any animal found to have bitten a person or other animal shall be confined as directed by the Mayor. The animal can then be subject to removal from the City and/or the owner can be fined.

If there are any further questions about any of the information please call City Hall or the Police Department if there are issues or concerns with animals that are at large, a nuisance, or dangerous.