



City Waves

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Cross Connection Inspections Set to Begin

The City of South Haven has contracted with HydroCorp of Troy, MI to perform the state mandated Cross-Connection Control Program. The purpose of the Cross-Connection Control Program is to help eliminate possible contamination of the public water distribution system. There are two required components of the program; 1) site inspection and 2) testing of backflow prevention assemblies.

As part of this program, a survey of the internal water system at your property will be completed. Inspectors will be reviewing the water system immediately around your water meter, in your basement and on the outside of your home for connections that could possibly contaminate the water distribution system. There are no fees for the inspection(s), however, any costs associated with the installation, replacement or modification of backflow prevention assemblies and devices, or any other work required for compliance are the responsibility of the property owner.

Inspections are expected to begin in Spring 2018. We thank you in advance for your cooperation in the Cross-Connection Control Program.

Fall Leaf Pickup Reminder

As a reminder, fall leaf pickup is underway. Please be patient and remember that a leaf truck is a large vehicle and cannot turn around easily. The street crew will complete one side of the street and come back to do the other side, which may occur on a different day.

Also, in an effort to assist the city street crew, please remember to rake your leaves to the parkway (the area between the sidewalk and the street). **Please do not rake them into the street.** This will clog storm drains and also make it difficult for the leaf truck to pick up your leaves. The City of South Haven appreciates your time and attention to this matter. If you have any questions, please contact the Public Works Department at (269) 637-0737.



THIS MONTH



November:

Meetings

1	DDA	12:00 pm
2	Planning Commission	7:00 pm
6	City Council	7:00 pm
13	LDFA and Brownfield	4:00 pm
14	Parks Commission	6:00 pm
20	City Council	7:00 pm
21	Harbor Commission	5:30 pm
27	BPU / SHAWSA	4:00 pm
27	Zoning Board of Appeals	7:00 pm
28	Master Plan Workshop	6:30 pm

**Please confirm dates, times & location before attending.

CITY HALL CLOSED:

23 THANKSGIVING DAY

24 DAY AFTER THANKSGIVING

NEXT MONTH



December:

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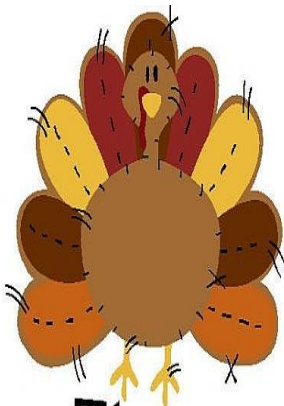
CITY HALL CLOSED:

22 CHRISTMAS EVE (OBSERVED)

25 CHRISTMAS DAY

A few reminders...

- The City of South Haven Code of Ordinances states that trash containers may be placed on the curb no more than 24 hours prior to trash pick-up, and removed no more than 24 hours after trash pick-up. The trash and recycling pickup schedules can be viewed on the city's website at www.south-haven.com.
- Every other week, the City of South Haven offers recycling services through its contractor, Republic Services. To view the 2017 recycling calendar for locations north and south of Phoenix Street, visit the city's website at www.south-haven.com.
- South Haven City Hall will be **closed** on **Thursday, November 23**, and **Friday, November 24** in observance of the Thanksgiving Holiday.



Happy Thanksgiving

Election Inspectors Wanted!

The City of South Haven is currently accepting applications to become a city election inspector. Inspectors are responsible for running each of the city's three precincts and ensuring that order is maintained on Election Day. Inspectors are paid \$10.00/hour, with precinct chairs earning \$10.50/hour. All required training is provided by the Van Buren County Clerk, and is paid for by the city. Please also note that it is not necessary to reside within the jurisdiction that you work. For more information on becoming an election inspector or for an application, please contact Travis Sullivan in the City Clerk's office at (269) 637-0750, or by email at tsullivan@south-haven.com.

Holiday Hours

As the holiday season approaches, please keep the following dates in mind. South Haven City Hall will be closed on **Friday, December 22**, and **Monday, December 25** in observance of Christmas Eve and Christmas Day. City Hall will also be closed on **Monday, January 1, 2018** in observance of New Year's Day.



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